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JAPANESE STRIKE INTO BAY OF BENGAL

BIG CLASH IMMINENT IN BURMA

JAPAN has struck its first blows at the Andaman Islands, whose coast possesses many anchorages from which Allied shipping in the Bay of Bengal might be menaced. Port Blair, the island's capital, has been twice attacked by Japanese 'planes.

On the Burma front the Allies hold the Sittaung River, awaiting a big clash with the reinforced Japanese Army, which is seeking to outflank them on the left to cut through to Rangoon.

Japanese air activity over Java has diminished.

In the Philippines General MacArthur's forces now hold positions which represent gains of from one to eight kilometres along the entire front in the last 48 hours.

ANDAMAN CAPITAL RAIDED

NEW DELHI, Friday.—Port Blair, capital of the Andaman Islands in the Bay of Bengal, is reported to have been raided by three Japanese 'planes on Tuesday, and again yesterday. Tuesday's attack was directed against the aerodrome. Four bombs were dropped, and the ground staff was machine-gunned. There were no military casualties, but two civilians were killed and five wounded. Yesterday, the aircraft droned overhead for 50 minutes before they dropped 12 bombs and machine-gunned various places, including the aerodrome. Slight damage was done to property, but there were no casualties.

"It can now be disclosed," says a Rangoon communiqué, "that when our troops broke contact with the enemy from the Bilin positions on February 20, after a severe three-day battle against superior numbers, in which we inflicted heavy casualties, the enemy was so hard hit that he could do little to follow us up. The enemy have not attempted to cross the Sittang since the withdrawal. The present inactivity shows that the enemy casualties were heavy. The military authorities have taken over Rangoon at the request of the Governor."

The British Army communiqué from Mandalay says:—"On the northern and southern fronts there was little activity and no change. The Allied Air Force have been very active in reconnaissances and bombing raids over enemy occupied territory."—(Reuter.)

The cutting of the Burma road, Dr. Wellington Koo, China's Ambassador in London, said yesterday would be a grevious blow, but would not paralyse his country's war effort. For some time an alternative route to the Burma road has been under construction, and for immediate purposes another road is being developed.

LATE NEWS

NAVAL BATTLE IN JAVA SEA

BATAVIA, Saturday Morning.—A naval battle between Japanese and Allied forces is now raging in the Java Sea. No details are available yet.—(Reuter.)

The Columbia Broadcasting System in New York is quoted by the Associated Press as saying that its correspondent in Batavia, William J. Dunn, reported that Allied forces and a Japanese naval squadron were engaged. Rumours of the engagement had been rife in Batavia for twenty-four hours.

Dunn added that it was likely the sea engagement was partly responsible for the unexpected quiet over West Java in the last thirty-six hours, during which there were no air raid sirens or enemy aircraft overhead.—(Associated Press.)

JAPAN'S NAVAL LOSSES

CAPITAL SHIPS AND CRUISERS

Details of Japan's naval losses in the Far East have been made known in authoritative quarters in London, says the Press Association Naval Correspondent. One capital ship has been sunk and three damaged, seven cruisers have been sunk, eight seriously damaged, and twelve damaged. Two aircraf carriers have been damaged, one seriously. Seventy-nine transport and merchant ships have been sunk.

Capital ships—By United States and Netherlands East Indies' Navies—One sunk, three damaged.

Cruisers—By British—One damaged. By United States and Dutch Navies—Seven sunk, eight seriously damaged, eleven damaged.

Aircraft carriers—By the United States and Dutch Navies—One seriously damaged, one damaged.

Destroyers—By British Navy—One sunk, one damaged. By United States and Netherlands East Indies—Eleven sunk, four seriously damaged, six damaged.

Submarines—By British, United States and Netherlands East Indies Navies—Nine sunk, two damaged.

Transport and merchant ships—By British, United States and Netherlands East Indies—79 sunk, 15 seriously damaged, 32 damaged.

AMERICAN CLAIMS

WASHINGTON, Friday. — The American Army Air Force are estimated to have sunk at least nine-teen Japanese vessels and seriously damaged thirty-one others since December 7th, according to a statement issued by Mr. Stimson, Secretary for War. In addition the Army Air Force and anti-aircraft shot down 245 Japanese 'planes. Japanese losses are probably much greater even than the figure given.

In the same period the Japanese shot down forty-eight United States Army 'planes. Their losses, therefore, exceed the American by a ratio of five to one. During the same period the American Volunteer group with the Chinese Army shot down 165 Japanese 'planes for the loss of only thirty-one of their own.

THREE FARMERS FINED £140

Fines ranging from £20 to £80, and totalling £140, were imposed on three farmers by District Justice Lennon in Dublin yesterday.

Christopher Monks, Botanic road, was fined £20 for having only tilled 19½ acres out of 177 acres in three farms at Constown, Moortown and Leastown, in Co. Dublin, of which 146 acres were arable. He was 9½ acres short of the compulsory one-fifth which should have been tilled.

Thomas Sheridan, Prussia street, was fined £80 for having 106 acres of arable land on two farms at Ballycoolen and Assey, Co. Dublin, none of which had been cultivated.

Martin King, Iona Drive, Dublin, was fined £40 in respect of an offence against the same Order. Three out of 46 arable acres on his 63-acre farm at Millhead, Co. Dublin, were sown with rape, which did not comply with the Order.

Mr. R. P. Humphries (Chief State Solicitor's office) prosecuted.

MR. GARVIN CEASES TO EDIT "OBSERVER"

The following statement will appear in to-morrow's *Observer*:—

"The proprietors of the *Observer* and Mr. J. L. Garvin have arranged to terminate their connection. Mr. Garvin's tenure as editor and manager of the *Observer* expired yesterday, and to-day's issue is produced under other auspices."

Mr. Garvin told the Press Association: "My article in the *Observer* of last Sunday speaks for itself, and there it stands. I have no further comment to make."

The St. George's Brass Band gave its sixth annual concert in the Metropolitan Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, last night. The progress made by Mr. C. G. Bannister with this combination is shown from the programme which they submitted, ranging as it did from an arrangement by the conductor of Bach's chorale, "Jesu, joy of man's desiring," to the overture "Thalassa," a very exacting contest piece, by Denis Wright. Songs were given by Miss Violet Burne and Mr. G. Godfrey, with Miss Mae Johnson

V.C. FOR LATE LT.-COMMANDER ESMONDE

LED ATTACK ON GERMAN SHIPS

THE Victoria Cross has been awarded to the late Lieutenant-Commander Eugene Esmonde, D.S.O., whose death when leading a squadron of Swordfish aircraft against three German battleships in the now famous action in the Dover Straits already has been reported in the *Irish Times*.

BREAD MAY BE HARDER TO GET

AN announcement will shortly be made regarding bread and flour rationing, which the Minister for Supplies has already stated to be inevitable, the *Irish Times* learns.

Yesterday Dublin bakery concerns were compiling lists of customers.

Mr. de Valera will address a meeting at Ennis to-day.

Contrary to rumour, it is unlikely that there will be any further curtailment of flour supplies to bakers in the near future, according to leading members of the milling trade approached by the *Irish Times* yesterday.

WOMEN WORKERS' ACTION

Throughout the day the search for bread continued.

Complaints about the method of distribution are numerous. Flat-dwellers, who seldom deal in the same shop twice, found it extremely difficult to get bread.

Miss Louie Bennett, General Secretary of the Irish Women Workers' Union, told an *Irish Times* reporter that her union was summoning a confer ence for next Wednesday, in conjunction with the Dublin Council of Action, at which they will discuss the situation from every angle. They will investigate methods of rationing, the effect it would have on the poorer people, substitutes for bread and safeguards which could be employed against malnutrition. "We shall pay particular attention," she said, "to the case of the man who brings his lunch in the form of sandwiches to work with him, and also to that of the school child, for whom we shall advocate hot meals in the middle of the day."

LESS FLOUR CERTAIN

Further reference to the serious wheat shortage was made by Mr. William S. Hayes, chairman of Johnston, Moone and O'Brien, Ltd., in his presidential address at the annual general meeting, which was held in Dublin yesterday. Moving the adoption of the report and the statement of accounts, he said that their stocks had been substantially reduced by the consumption of a year's supply used in the course of manufacture. It was not yet possible to say what quantity of wheat would be available for milling into flour before the next harvest was due, but a substantial reduction in the quantity of flour was certain, and similarly there must be a corresponding restriction in bread production.

"Our very existence as a nation," he stated, "is practically dependent on a proper wheat supply, and in its most immediate view a wheat shortage would impose on the poorest among us a catastrophic hardship. We have lost no opportunity of informing the Government of the relevant facts, and we are satisfied that they have a complete understanding of the situation."

DEBATE IN THE DAIL

The bread situation will be the subject of a debate in the Dail when the House meets on Wednesday next should a motion to move for the adjournment immediately after question time be accepted. The motion, which is in the name of General R. Mulcahy (F.G.) will be moved in order to enable the Dail to debate "a definite matter of urgent public importance—namely, the suffering caused, particularly among the poorer classes of the population, by the shortage of bread supplies or their inequitable distribution under the restrictions imposed by the Minister for Supplies from 23rd February."

The Minister for Supplies will be asked, as announced in the *Irish Times* yesterday, a number of questions on the same subject, including a query from General Mulcahy to ascertain the extent of the restrictions on bread supplies; the authority and the manner in which the restrictions have been imposed, and the instructions issued to bakers and retailers in the city of Dublin; whether any steps were taken to ensure an equitable distribution and to guarantee the poorer sections their supplies, and what supervision is exercised to obtain an equitable distribution. He will also ask if the Minister is aware that many people in the city have been unable to get any bread, and that a considerable number have been able to get less than fifty per cent. of their normal requirements since Monday last, with resultant hardship and suffering.

The position of people who have been in the habit of making their bread at home will be raised by Dr. T. F. O'Higgins, who will ask whether steps will be taken to secure the continued supply of flour to such people.

Describing the present system of distribution as "a form of unofficial rationing by retailers and distributors, inflicting serious hardships on the poor," and observing that in the present fuel shortage large sections of the poor cannot substitute bread for any kind of food which requires cooking, a question by Mr. W. Norton (Labour) will ask for the announcement of steps by the Government to secure for the poor a reasonable share, commensurate with their needs, of the bread available, and to enable local authorities, by means of a community cooking service, to provide at least one hot meal per day for those who may need it.

The suggestion that in view of the fact that the emergency now exists, the Minister should take steps to make hot meals available for school children, and extend their meal hour in order to enable them to partake of it, will be made in a question by Alderman A. Byrne, T.D.

TOKYO RANGOON CLAIM

Rome radio on Friday reported that the Japanese had advanced "into the town of Rangoon, part of which has been occupied by the Japanese," while the German radio, quoting a Tokyo report, said that Japanese 'planes had raided Mingaladon, Burma, destroying 34 'planes on the ground.—(Associated Press.)

JAVA

In the battle of Java Allied bombers have attacked another invasion armada concentrated near the island of Banka, 200 miles north of Batavia. The Japanese claim the capture of Benkulen, which lies on the west coast of Southern Sumatra, and would provide a spring-board for the attack on West Java.

Results of the Allied bombing attack on the Japanese Fleet off Banka Island could not be observed, the Netherlands *communiqué* reports. Afterwards Allied' planes were engaged by ten Navy "Q" fighters, one of which was probably shot down. Bombers struck at military objectives near Japanese-held Palembang, and started several fires. Japanese air activity over Java has lessened, Thursday's only attack being directed at the naval base of Sourabaya. Nine bombers dropped many bombs, but all fell into the sea, and fighters drove the raiders off.

AUSTRALIAN PLANS

MELBOURNE, Friday.—The greatest war planning conference ever held in Australia took place to-day, when the Commonwealth War Council met in secret session with high advisers from the Allied nations to plan a new offensive strategy, based on the possibility of imminent Japanese attack on the Continent. The Council considered plans on which staff experts have been working for days, and which envisage heavy offensive strokes against the invaders—a demand voiced by both Dutch and Australians—and also made provision for the defence of the Australian coast. —(Associated Press.)

MACARTHUR'S GAINS

WASHINGTON, Friday.—The War Department communiqué says:—

"Philippine theatre—Fighting continues on Bataan front, with light forces engaged on both sides. General MacArthur's troops are holding advance positions which represent gains of from one to eight kilometres along the entire front during the past forty-eight hours. The greatest advance was made right of a line north of Pilar. Our troops are being subjected to relatively light enemy air and artillery attack. There has been no firing on our fortifications from enemy artillery positions on the Cavite shore for several days. There is nothing to report from other areas."—(Reuter.)

DUKE OF WINDSOR AT MIAMI

MIAMI (FLORIDA), Friday.—The Duke of Windsor has arrived by air to-day. He is leaving shortly for Nassau.—(Reuter.)

According to the Associated Press, the Duke of Windsor is to take part in conferences.

DUN LAOGHAIRE MAN'S FATAL COLLAPSE

While boarding a tramcar at Nelson Pillar at 10.45 last night, Mr. John J. Byrne, aged about 55, a civil servant, of Lower George's street, Dun Laoghaire, was seen to collapse. He was removed to Jervis Street Hospital, where he was found to be dead.

FRENCH FLEET STORY

REFUTED BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, Friday.—President Roosevelt in effect has dismissed as German propaganda the Paris-radio allegation that Admiral Leahy, American Ambassador in Vichy, had demanded of the French Government that all French Fleet movements should receive the prior authorisation of the United States.

The Information Division of the State Department already had described the report as incorrect

The State Department has published a communiqué intended to clarify ambiguous relations between the United States Government and France. The communiqué also records the reaffirmation of French neutrality as expressed in a French Note delivered to Admiral Leahy, American Ambassador in Vichy, on Tuesday. It is stated that "further clarification as regards all important questions are awaited by the United States Government."

The communiqué also discloses for the first time that on February 10 President Roosevelt sent a personal message informing Marshal Pétain that the American Government "had been advised that supplies have been shipped from metropolitan France to North Africa for the use of the Axis forces in Libya."

The reply of the French Government to this Note was a reaffirmation that it would not lend any military aid to any belligerents in any place in the theatre of operations.

The American *communiqué*, drafted after prolonged discussion in the State Department, is considered a final and public warning to the French Government, which, at the same time, takes a public stand in assuring America that it will not give assistance to the Axis "beyond the terms of the armistice agreements."

After an hour's talk with Mr. Sumner Welles, Acting Secretary of State, M. Henry Haye, French Ambassador, said that he had asked for the clarification of the questions put by the United States to the Pétain Government.—(Reuter.)

VICHY, Friday.—Admiral Darlan, Deputy Premier, received Admiral Leahy, United States Ambassador, this morning.—(Reuter.)

LIMITING BUTTER SALES

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE

Profiting by the experience of last winter, when butter supplies had to be restricted because winter stocks amounted only to about 93,000 cwt., the Department of Agriculture stored no less than 173,000 cwt. for the present winter. Such a stock was reasonably expected to be more than adequate for any normal winter demands, yet at the middle of the present month it had been reduced to 73,000 cwt.

While this supply is sufficient to carry demands into the full production period in mid-April, the Department has been forced to advise creameries and merchants to curtail sales by one-eighth during the next two months. This was exclusively announced in the *Irish Times* yesterday, and in a statement last evening it was officially confirmed that the step is taken as a safeguard in the event of an unusually late spring, and also to discourage the injudicious or wasteful use of butter or "the sale by retailers of abnormal quantities to customers."

The statement emphasises that the action is purely a precautionary one, and adds that "The public need have no concern that their ordinary requirements will not be met until next season's production is available."

JUNKERS 88 SHOT DOWN

The British Admiralty last night stated:—

"A Junkers 88 was shot down in flames into the sea last night by the auxiliary vessel H.M.S. Goatfell (Lieutenant-Commander H. C. Gaffney, R.N.R.). A second Junkers 88 was hit by anti-aircraft fire and prevented from attacking. This aircraft was not seen to crash, but when it disappeared in the low visibility it was losing height and its engines appeared to have stopped. An explosion was heard shortly afterwards. No casualties or damage were suffered by H.M.S. Goatfell."

CIVIL SERVANTS' BONUS

A protest against the stabilisation by the Government of the cost-of-living bonus was adopted at the annual meeting of the Civil Service Executive and Higher Officers' Association in Jury's Hotel, Dublin, last night. Speakers stated that the Government's action was unjustifiable in the present state of soaring prices. Another motion was passed calling for the establishment in the Civil Service of conciliation and arbitration machinery to deal with staff problems. A protest was made against the increase in hours.

The following officers were elected:—Chairman, Mr. M. P. Russell; vice-chairman, D. O Colmain; secretary, S. O h-Eidirsceoil.

WINTER WHEAT

While it is yet too early to estimate the acreage of winter wheat, it is learned that virtually all the seed available has been purchased for planting.

Not within the last twenty years has the country experienced such a good season for wheat planting and tillage operations generally.

Spring sowings of wheat will begin on March 1st, and it was stated officially yesterday that the prospects generally look very good.

HERE AND THERE

The British inquiry into the escape of the German battleships from Brest to Germany, has not yet been completed. It is expected to last several more days.

Kiel, where the Gneisenau is in a floating dock, was again attacked by the R.A.F. on Thursday night, states a British Air Ministry communiqué. "The dockyards and ship-building works were bombed, and fires started. Three of our aircraft are missing."

First fighter formations of the Royal Hellenic Air Force have left for the Western desert. Bomber pilots of the Royal Hellenic Air Force have taken part in anti-submarine patrols over the Mediterranean for many months.—(Press Association.)

Negotiations going on since April have been completed for the handing over by Britain to the Venezuelan Government of the small island of Patos, three miles off the Venezuelan coast.

Two men were reported missing and were presumed lost, and two others were injured, in a fire which swept an oil tanker and dock near Avon-on-Suisun Bay, California.—(The Associated Press.)

CORK BAKERS' VIEWS

Certain left over stocks, and a small stock of flour, have enabled Cork bakers to delay the full effect of the bread restriction Order until next week. The real test, they say, will come when the full "cut" operates. Unequal distribution, it was felt, would be the main problem, together with that of persuading those who can afford alternatives to sacrifice even more than the stipulated one loaf in five so that the poor may be supplied.

PETAIN ATTACKED BY DALADIER

"I SHALL COVER HIM NO LONGER"

Edouard Daladier, former Premier and War Minister of France, one of the accused men in the Riom "war guilt" trial, opened a direct attack on his predecessors as Minister of War, including Marshal Petain, as sharing any responsibility for France's lack of preparation, according to an Associated Press message from Vichy last night.

Daladier's charges came during almost four hours of solid questioning. He bitterly declared that he had "protected the names of his predecessors" in a speech he made in September, 1939, because France was at war and he did not want to create differences. "I am now condemned by the predecessor whom I covered then," he said. "I shall cover him no longer."

IMPORTANCE OF ARMS

M. Daladier was asked by the Court President why he was opposed to keeping young people with the Colours in March, 1934, says Reuter, and replied: "The important thing then was increasing armaments and not effectives." When he became Minister of War, he said, there were 29,600 officers on the active list. In 1939 there were 37,000 against 27,000 in Germany.

Against the first accusation that he had only once in three years been present at a meeting of the Supreme War Council, M. Daladier declared that he had several times demanded the meeting of the Council, and that, according to law, the presence of the War Minister at its sittings was only required when the proceedings had reference to the organisation of the Army. "I am anxious to give explanations," he exclaimed. "I demand that you question me. I want the whole truth."

Replying to the accusation that he had neglected armament production, he asserted: "No one in France devoted as great a sum as myself to the national defence. It is my pride. I saw the peril and I had the courage to take measures which others dared not take."

HIGH COMMAND BLAMED

Emphasising that his sole mission was to obtain the necessary credits from the Chamber, and recalling that he had obtained 62,000 million francs in three years, M. Daladier threw the responsibility for defeat on the High Command. He had done everything possible to increase production.

The prosecution declared that France had only 3,825 anti-tank guns, while they needed 10,000. Daladier replied that in May, 1940, the figure was 6,000, and contended that the absence of material had not hampered as seriously as was believed the possibilities of the French Army.

The President then cited the case of the 61st Infantry Division which did not, he said, possess a single anti-tank gun, while the 76th Division had only six on a front of nearly 20 miles.

When the interrogation of Daladier is continued to-day it is expected that the question of the Air Force will be raised as well as other points in connection with alleged deficiencies in production.

SAND-STORMS IN LIBYA

BRITISH AIR FORCE BUSY

Despite continued bad weather and sand-storms, British fighting patrols and columns have remained active. There is no change in the general situation in Libya, according to yesterday's British *communiqué* from Cairo.

Objectives at Tripoli, Benghazi and Berka were raided by bombers of the Royal Air Force on Wednesday night, says the Air *communiqué*. The landing ground at Martuba was also bombed. At Tripoli bursts were seen at the base of the Karamanli Mall and on Karamanli Mole, and on the Spanish quay and seaplane station. Military buildings west of the Castello were also hit. At Benghazi and Berka poor visibility prevented observation of results.

In the course of Axis air attacks on Malta on Thursday some military and civilian damage was caused. Casualties were slight. Two British aircraft are missing.—(Press Association.)

MR. MENZIES AND ALLIED STRATEGY

If the Japanese can neutralise or immobilise Australia by putting her into a posture of defence it would not be necessary to invade the country, as with their ships and 'planes divisions could go to Burma, Manchuria and Vladivostock with perhaps the vital aid to their Axis partners, said Mr. Menzies, ex-Premier of Australia, in a broadcast yesterday.

"My opinion," said Mr. Menzies, "is that the issue, which is of first-rate importance to the Allied cause, is between grand strategy viewed against the background of the world, and the local or party strategy viewed against the smallest background of our own local circumstances.

"If Britain and the United States said that they should lose the war Australia, New Zealand and the Dutch East Indies would be easy prey, and Japan could throttle China, disintegrate India and attack Russia, thus allowing Germany also to deal with Russia and attack Britain. It was in an offensive that the Allies would find cohesion, and the essence of Allied strategy must be that each sees the world and planned accordingly."

BRITISH AIRMEN'S FUNERAL

Two British airmen, who lost their lives when their 'plane crashed into the sea off the coast of Arklow, were buried yesterday with military honours at Arklow Cemetery. The two airmen were Sergt. Alexander Sherlock Beard, of Ontario, and Sergt. Jack Rostern, of England. The coffins were draped with the Canadian and British flags. Both coffins were covered with wreaths from the Army authorities and the Canadian and British representatives. The attendance included:—Mr. Garland, of the Canadian Government Office, representing the High Commissioner, Mr. Kearney; Mr. Nickalls, of the United Kingdom Office, represented Sir John Maffey; Commdt. D. J. Murphy, Air Corps, represented the Chief of Staff; Commdt. W. P. Delamere, Air Corps, represented the Officer Commanding the Eastern Command. Capt. Beglin was in charge of the Army detachment; Supt. Flynn, Wicklow Garda Siochana; Mr. Hickey, National Lifeboat Institution. The funeral services were read by the Rev. W. Carroll, Rector of Arklow, and the Rev. Mr. Elliott, Ferrybank, Arklow.

"TOO LAZY OR TOO ILLITERATE"

G.B.S.'s VIEW OF A POSTAL OFFICIAL

A "TOO lazy or too illiterate" Irish postal official once prevented the circulation of a cheap edition of George Bernard Shaw's plays in this country. Mr. Shaw thinks that the official had no manners.

The famous author tells of this in a letter to Mr. Gerard Grimley, founder and organiser of the Irish Society for Intellectual Freedom, in which he encloses a cheque for 30s. in support of the Society's aims. The Society had circularised authors whose books had been banned, but, it was announced at their meeting in Dublin on Wednesday night, Mr. Shaw was the only banned author who had subscribed. His book, "The Black Girl's Search for God," was banned here.

The letter says:—"I am not allowed to send money to Eire without a permit. However, a cheque is not money, so I enclose one for 30s. If our respective banks succeed in obtaining the necessary permits and put you in effective possession of this sum you can credit me with a guinea subscription to the Society and 8s. to the "A.-C. Monthly." The odd shilling will cover the bank charge for exchange."

"I once had occasion to send a three-and-ninepenny book to Eire. The postal authorities valued it at 30s., and taxed it accordingly. When I tried to explain I found the responsible commissioner either too lazy or too illiterate to investigate the case. Also, he had no manners, and I had to give him up as hopeless and submit to the imposition. The effect was to prevent the circulation of the cheap edition of my plays in Eire.

"The ecclesiastical ban is comparatively negligible, as the Church does not discover the existence of a book until, say, six months after it is sold out.—Faithfully, G. Bernard Shaw."

The "A.-C. Monthly" to which Mr. Shaw referred was the "Anti-Censorship Monthly," of which only one issue was published.

CHARGE OF SCREENING FLOUR

FIRST CASE OF KIND HEARD IN DUBLIN

When Thomas Sheridan, Leinster avenue, North Strand, and Christopher Fox, Thomas street, Dublin, were convicted in the Dublin District Court on charges of removing part of the wheat berry from wheaten flour and wheaten meal on December 17th last at Lamb Alley, Mr. R. P. Humphries, for the State, pressed for a jail sentence.

District Justice Lennon, imposing a fine of £3 on each of the defendants, said, as this was the first case of the kind, he would not impose imprisonment. He would do so in all future cases.

Evidence was given by Guards Leonard and McHugh of finding five men in a store at Lamb Alley screening "emergency" flour. In another store in the same yard four men were also discovered at the same work. In the case of all these men the Probation Act was applied.

TWO TANKERS TORPEDOED

WASHINGTON, Saturday. — The tanker W. D. Anderson has been torpedoed off the Atlantic coast, the Navy Department announced.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Friday.—Only one survivor of the crew of 36, Frank Terry, reached safety ashore from the tanker. He was an oil wiper who jumped overboard and escaped the spreading oil fire.

He expressed the conviction that none of his companions escaped. He told of seeing huge flames in the tanker, while some of his shipmates poised on her sides, ready to jump.

The United States Navy Department announces the torpedoing on Thursday night of the 7,451 tons oil tanker, R. P. Resor, belonging to the Standard Oil Company. The vessel was attacked off the Atlantic coast.—(Reuter.)

Two survivors have been landed at an Atlantic port from the tanker, which was burned at sea after being torpedoed.

The survivors said they had seen a motor lifeboat, carrying about thirty men, clear the burning vessel and its surrounding oil flames.

It may have been picked up by another rescue ship. One unidentified body has been washed ashore. The tanker would normally carry a crew of thirty-eight.—(Reuter.)

The tanker is listed as 10,227 tons, and carrying a crew of about forty-one.—(Associated Press.)

BRITISH SHIP TORPEDOED

NEW YORK, Friday.—The torpedoing of a British merchantman in the North Atlantic was disclosed to-day in an interview with 15 survivors.

The survivors attributed their rescue from certain death to an ordinary ship's bucket and to the stalwart fourth mate and chief engineer, who roused the men with songs to keep them awake and cheerful. The captain, who lost 21lb. while leading an open lifeboat through six days and five nights of "freezing hell" and "greedy seagulls," told the story from a hospital bed. He said that two men were killed in a torpedo explosion before dawn on February 6th.

The captain said that after the ship had been abandoned, "the biggest submarine I have ever seen" shelled the vessel. During a 36-hour gale men rigged up a bucket to keep the boat headed into 30-foot waves. The captain added: "That bucket saved our skins." Throughout the ordeal the captain said the chief engineer and the fourth mate led the men in lusty singing of "Sailing, sailing" . . . and "My bonny lies over the ocean."

They were rescued on the sixth night by a Dutch freighter. — (Associated Press.)

£85 DAMAGES IN CORK CASE

The jury, in the High Court libel action of Gerald Egan, Western road, Cork, against Denis O'Connell, Boreenmanna road, Cork, and Associated Newspapers, Ltd., London, yesterday found in favour of Mr. Egan, and assessed damages at £85, for which judgment was given by Mr. Justice Martin Maguire for him, with Circuit Court costs.

Mr. Egan, professional boxing and wrestling promoter, complained that an article, "Poor Wages in the Irish Ring," which, he said, was written by Mr. O'Connell, and published in the *Sunday Dispatch* of May 7, 1939, was intended to refer to him, although his name was not actually mentioned in it.

Associated Newspapers, Ltd., denied that the words referred to Mr. Egan, and pleaded that they were fair comment on a matter of public interest.

NEW RED ARMY ADVANCE

FIERCE BATTLE ON SOUTHERN FRONT

RUSSIAN cavalry, equipped with automatic weapons, have driven through the German defences midway between the Leningrad and the Central Front, and reached the Dno-Nevel section of the vital Leningrad-Nevel Railway, says the Press Association.

Moscow Radio announced this new advance to within 80 miles of the Latvian frontier south-west of Staraya Russa, and a few hours later disclosed that fresh progress has been achieved by the gigantic pincer movement and frontal attack in the Vyazma-Smolensk zone.

In one sector of this front a Red Army regiment, advancing 75 miles in the last ten days, had recaptured 40 inhabited localities and annihilated over 4,000 German officers and men. Their booty included 38 tanks, 30 guns and nearly 30,000 shells. Around Staraya Russa the Germans are making desperate attempts to save some of their troops. General Kurochkin is hammering still harder the trapped 16th Army, while the German 18th Mechanised Division—sent south after the Tikhvin defeat—and other units of the High Command are trying to move to its relief, and have been engaged and held by Soviet troops.

A Stockholm despatch says that the town itself has changed hands several times, while in recent fighting the Red Army troops have captured 14 more inhabited places. Official Moscow reports record new gains on the Leningrad front, and in the Kalinin area, where Rzhev is threatened with a steadily growing pressure, virtually surrounding it, and, says a *Red Star* Correspondent, one German infantry regiment and two battalions have been completely routed. In the Donetz basin three regiments of General Schwedler's army group are said to have been routed by a pincer movement, which Soviet troops snapped tightly together from east and west, nipping off a salient which was stubbornly held by the 76th German Infantry Division and delayed the Russian advance.

As part of the Soviet High Command's plan of doing everything to impede the German retreat, Russian troops are striking all along the front to cut the rearguards' links with the main forces. Their present advance on a 300-miles front from Leningrad to Nevel, with the latest reported thrust to the Dno-Nevel line, confronts the Germans with a greater problem along the chief lateral, which stretches from Leningrad to the Ukraine.—(Press Association and Reuter.)

BIG RED ARMY CLAIMS

The Soviet midnight *communiqué* stated that after stiff engagements Soviet troops occupied further inhabited localities.

The Supplement states:—"After February 26, in one sector of the Southern front, the German Command brought up from the reserve fresh Rumanian and German units and threw them into a counter-attack against our troops. Having re-grouped themselves, our troops dealt vigorous flanking blows to the Rumanian and German units, overwhelmed them, and forced them to a hasty and disorderly retreat. In these engagements, the First Rumanian Infantry Division was completely routed, and the 113th German Infantry Division suffered heavy defeat.

"The enemy abandoned on the field of action about 7,500 killed. Our troops captured 30 guns, 35 mine-throwers, 638 rifles, 10 machine-guns, 36 automobiles, 70,000 cartridges, and large quantities of other military supplies. Twenty-seven German guns and forty mine-throwers were destroyed. Prisoners were taken."

Corunna radio, quoting a Stockholm report, said the Russians had launched a big offensive, "and a big battle is raging before Kharkov."

SEVERE FIGHTING

Reuter's Special Correspondent, in a despatch from Moscow, says that the chief feature of the fighting now in the Staraya Russa region appears to be a desperate effort on the part of the German Command to save some of its troops. There has been no break-out, however, by any of the encircled units, and Colonel V. Derman says in *Red Star* that the position of the 16th German Army has become still worse. The German 18th Mechanised Division, brought from the region of Tikhvin after the defeat there; the 5th Infantry Division, brought in at great speed; and the 81st Division have all been unable to relieve the 16th Army, as they have been engaged and held by Soviet troops.

Three regiments of General Schwedler's army group, which, as is known, has been operating in the Donbas, have been routed as the result of a pincer movement closing in from east and west. The 203rd and 230th Regiments of the 76th Division, and the 57th Regiment of the Ninth Division, lost heavily in men, and had to abandon much material. The Soviet troops took the inhabited point "V" and a number of other places, as well as two railway stations. Fighting was severe, as the Germans had long prepared the positions, but a week ago Colonel Rodenburg, of the 76th Division, issued an order, which states:—"The enemy is continually advancing on the projecting front of our 76th Division. In the sector of the River 'B,' north of Point 'V,' the battle is still going on with strong forces of the enemy." Colonel Rodenburg added: "After freight trains have been got away, you must retreat, leaving a rearguard. The male civil population of military age must be removed to the rear. Houses must be destroyed, especially stoves and windows."

The orders, at least in regard to the destruction of houses, were fulfilled.

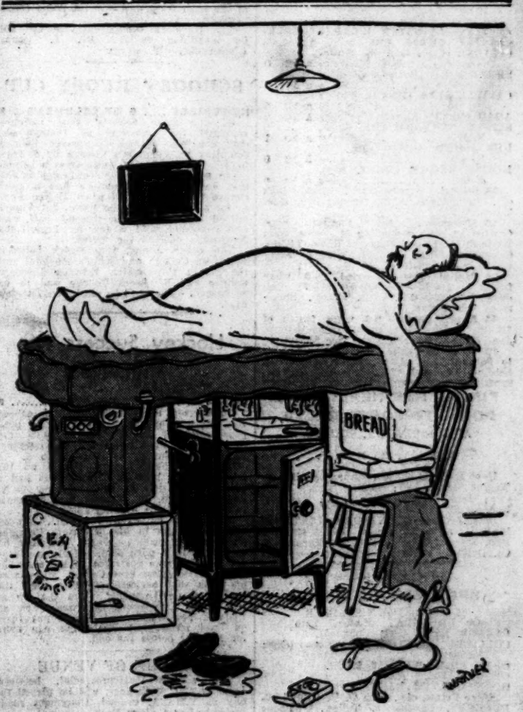
CRIMEAN BATTLES

Heavy Russian attacks against Rumanian and German positions outside Sebastopol and on the Kerch Peninsula yesterday were admitted by the German Radio, says Reuter. The Germans claim that these attacks, preceded by artillery fire and lasting the whole day, were repulsed.

Only twenty or thirty soldiers remain in many companies of the B.L.F. (Spanish) Division regiments fighting on the north-western front, according to prisoners' reports quoted by Moscow Radio. The 6th Company of the 269th Infantry Regiment, for example, numbers only twelve soldiers and the sergeants, and "one company of skiers suffered losses amounting to 150 men out of an original complement of 160 in two or three days' fighting," the announcer continued. Seventy died of frostbite, fifty were wounded and thirty were killed.

DESTROYER SUNK

The British Board of Admiralty states that the ex-American destroyer, H.M.S. Belmont (Lieutenant-Commander G. B. O'B. Harding, R.N.), has been sunk.



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General Chiang Fancied at Mullingar

TRAIN AMIENS ST. 10 O'C.

PRINCE Regent will not be amongst the runners for the February 'Chase at Mullingar this afternoon, and in his absence the race should be won by General Chiang, who will be accompanied to the post by his stable companion, September.

Many horses can be made out to hold chances in the Ulster Hurdle, for which fifteen runners have been declared. Philippian, Historical Review, and Clonker will be well fancied, but the recent form of Royal Down may be best to stand on.

Tote Double on Third and Fourth Races.

Capital Star and Shrarmore look to be the pick of those in the Leinster 'Chase, and the former is given preference. Selections:—

Munster Hurdle—**Never No More.**
Ulster Hurdle—**Royal Down.**
Leinster Steeplechase—**Capital Star.**
Press Steeplechase—**Glenapp.**
February Steeplechase—**General Chiang.**
Connacht Flat Race—**Funny.**

TOTE DOUBLE.
Capital Star and Glenapp.

CURRAGH SELECTIONS

Munster Hurdle—**Never No More.**
Ulster Hurdle—**Historical Revue.**
Leinster Steeplechase—**Citadel.**
Press Steeplechase—**Mr. Wolf.**
February Steeplechase—**Bel et Bon.**
Connacht Plate—**Principality.**

2.30—MUNSTER H'CAP HURDLE, £50. 2m. 2f. Age st. lb.
FOXCHASE (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. Rogers a 12 7
SHIRLEY LAD (Mrs. E. J. King) C. Harty 6 11 0
NEVER NO MORE (Mr. J. F. Sutherland) T. W. Dreaper 6 10 6
BENNIE'S BATTLE (Mr. Matthew Farrell) ......D. Farrell a 10 5
EMERALD (Mr. Jos. Kelly) W. Clery 5 9 9

00 Foxchase. Unplaced with 12-7 to Point d'Atout (10-9), Navan, Feb. (2½m. hurdles). See Shirley Lad.
01 Shirley Lad. Carried 9-13 when winning ½l., 1l. from Never No More (9-13) and Greek Minstrel (9-13), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. hurdles). Foxchase (12-7) was unplaced.
12 Never No More. See Shirley Lad.
00 Bennie's Battle. Unplaced with 10-9 to Heirdom (11-0), Leopardstown, Jan. (2m. hurdles).
00 Emerald. Unplaced with 9-9 to Armoy (9-13), Leopardstown, Nov. (2m. hurdles).

3.0—ULSTER MAIDEN HURDLE, £50. 1½m. Age st. lb.
GREEN STAR (Mr. W. J. Byrne) .... Owner a 11 7
GLORIOUS VIEW (Mr. T. P. Downes) .... Downes 6 11 7
CLONKER (Mr. Michael Farrell) G. Ferrall a 11 7
IRISH LOVE (Mrs. E. McCormick) Williams 6 11 7
FIERY SAM (Mr. B. J. Killian) J. W. Cleary 5 11 3
MEL'S BATTLE (Mr. M. J. Keogh) ...... J. W. Cleary 5 11 3
ROYAL DOWN (Mr. B. Kerr) Lenehan 5 11 3
HUSH TOMMY (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers 5 11 3
PHILIPPIAN (Mr. Jos. McGrath) Sleator, jun. 5 11 3
MONSTER LIGHT (Mr. P. A. Connolly) ...... M. Connolly 5 11 3
HISTORICAL REVUE (Mr. T. Allen) .... Brabazon 4 10 7
PRINCE MAFIA (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) .... Owner 4 10 7
WESTERN DANDY (Mr. F. W. Higgins) ...... J. A. Farrell 4 10 7
PICKER (Mr. P. McCavana) Mangan 4 10 7
BUFFALO BILL (Mr. D. Malone) Owner 4 10 7

33 Green Star. Carried 10-3 when beaten 6l., ¾l. by Pongo (10-2 and Guardroom (11-3), Phœnix Park, Sept (1m. 2f. 50 yds.).
00 Glorious View. See Connaught Plate.
30 Clonker. See Connaught Plate. Carried 11-2 when beaten short head, 2l. by Monk's Mistake (10-7) and Border Knight (10-3), Naas, Feb. (1½m. hurdles). Monster Light (11-3) and Prince Mafia (10-2) were unplaced. Carried 11-2 when fourth of 26 to Airds Moss (11-7), Leopardstown, Jan. (1½m. hurdles). Philippian (10-13) was fifth, and Monster Light (11-4) and Historical Revue (10-10) behind.
30 Fiery Sam. Unplaced with 7-8 to Knightswood (7-9), Claremorris, Jan. (1½m. flat). Carried 10-2 when beaten 1½l., 2l. by Pitester Lily (11-7) and Sun Drop (10-7), Mullingar, March (1½m. hurdles).
20 Mel's Battle. Unplaced with 10-12 to Shirley Lad (11-5), Leopardstown, Dec. (1½m. hurdles). Carried 11-7 when beaten 8l. by Airgead Tirim (11-12), Mullingar, Oct. (1½m. hurdles).
02 Royal Down. Carried 11-3 when beaten 1½l. by Shannon Scheme (10-7), Navan, Feb. (1½m. hurdles). Picker (7-11) was unplaced.
00 Hush Tommy. Unplaced with 11-7 to Prince Blackthorn (10-9), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. flat).
20 Philippian. See Clonker.
00 Monster Light. See Clonker.
30 Historical Revue. See Clonker. Carried 11-0 when beaten head, short head by Pontiff (11-0) and Soldado (11-0), Leopardstown, Dec. (1½m. hurdles). Western Dandy (10-4) was fourth of 13.
40 Prince Mafia. See Clonker.
40 Western Dandy. Carried 11-0 when seventh of 27 to the dead-heaters, Funny (11-5) and Trigger Jack (11-0), Leopardstown, Jan. (2m. flat). See Historical Revue.
40 Picker. See Royal Down.
10 Buffalo Bill. Unplaced with 10-2 to Hyskeir (10-7), Baldoyle, Feb. (1½m. hurdles). Won 1m. 2f. 50yds. race, Phoenix Park, Oct.

3.30—LEINSTER H'CAP STEEPLECHASE, £50. 2m. Age st. lb.
CITADEL (Capt. G. S. L. Whitelaw) ....H. Hartigan a 12 0
SHRARMORE (Duchess de Stacpoole) ....Stone a 11 6
CAPITAL STAR (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers a 10 6
AGAG (Mr. K. Cleary) W. Cleary a 10 2
SLIEVE BERNAGH (Mr. W. J. Kelly) ....Owner a 10 1
BURNISHED GOLD (Mr. W. Dunne) ....Taaffe 6 10 0
MOUNT BROWN (Mr. T. McD. Kelly) ....Owner a 10 0

04 Citadel. Carried 11-11 when fourth of 7 to Simoniz (9-12), Navan, Dec. (2m. 'chase).
10 Shrarmore. See Capital Star. Carried 11-1 when winning 2l., same, from Baybush (11-7) and Prince of Birds (11-11), Claremorris, June (2m. 2f. 'chase). Agag (9-12) was fourth of 13.
04 Capital Star. Carried 10-0 when fourth of 10 to The Gripper (12-7), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. 1f. 70 yds. 'chase). Shrarmore (11-1) was sixth.
44 Agag. Carried 9-2 when fourth of 12 to Scotch King (9-6), Leopardstown, Jan. (2m. 175yds. 'chase). See Shrarmore
10 Slieve Bernagh. Unplaced with 11-5 to Point d'Atout (12-0), Naas, Jan. (1½m. hurdles). Carried 10-8 when winning ½l., 1l. from Messenger Girl (11-0) and Poetry II. (10-7), Limerick, Dec. (2m. 200yds. 'chase).
12 Burnished Gold. Carried 11-2 when beaten 5l. by Ballyboe (11-6), Leopardstown, Dec. (1½m. hurdles). Carried 11-2 when winning 1l., 6l. from Bonnie Anna (12-0), and Word of Honour (11-7), Navan, Dec. (2m. 'chase).
21 Mount Brown. Carried 10-7 when winning 2½l., 5l. from Chev Point (10-7) and Late Again (10-7), Listowel, Sept. (2m. hurdles).

4.0—PRESS 'CHASE, £50. 2m. Age st. lb.
AIRGEAD TIRIM (Mr. J. Browne) Owner a 12 0
CARRICK (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers 6 12 0
SLANG (Mr. M. Purcell) Brabazon 5 12 0
GLENAPP (£50) (Mr. A. Barry) Sleator, jun. 5 10 7
BALLINASPICK (£50) (Mr. J. Berry) .... W. Cleary a 10 7
MR. WOLF (£50) (Duchess de Stacpoole) .... Stone a 10 7
VANROOK (£50) (Capt. T. P. Finlay) .... C. Harty a 10 7
HANDY LAD (£50) (Mr. J. A. Mangan) .... Owner a 10 7

00 Airgead Tirim. Unplaced with 10-0 to Scotch King (9-6), Leopardstown, Jan. (2m. 175yds. 'chase).
00 Carrick. Unplaced with 11-4 to the dead-heaters, Drochat Atha (11-4) and Brown Cottage (11-4), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. 1f. 70yds. 'chase).
04 Glenapp. Carried 10-5 when fourth of 11 to Point D'Atout (12-0), Naas, Jan. (1½m. hurdles)
00 Ballinaspick. Carried 11-5 when eighth of 18 to Shirley Lad (11-5), Leopardstown, Dec. (1½m. hurdles).
00 Mr. Wolf. Unplaced in flat race, Baldoyle, Feb. Unplaced with 9-7 to Scotch King (9-6), Leopardstown, Jan. (2m. 175yds. 'chase).
02 Vanrook. Carried 10-7 when beaten ¾l. by Atco (12-7) Galway, 1940 (2m. 2f. 'chase).
20 Handy Lad. Unplaced with 11-0 to Golden Goblet (11-0), Leopardstown Dec. (2m. flat).

4.30—FEBRUARY H'CAP STEEPLECHASE, £50. 3m. Age st. lb.
BEL ET BON (Capt. G. S. L. Whitelaw) ......H. Hartigan a 12 3
SEPTEMBER (Mr. Leo Partridge) C. Rogers a 12 1
GENERAL CHIANG (Miss Dorothy Paget) ...C. Rogers a 11 3
SIMPLE SONG (Mr. T. Morrow) Sleator, jun. a 9 7

14 Bel et Bon. Carried 12-3 when fourth of 9 to Pulcher (9-13), Baldoyle, January (3m. 'chase.). Carried 12-7 when winning 20l.; same, from Brown Joker (9-2) and Desmond Morgan (9-10), Navan, December (3m. 'chase.).
00 September. See Simple Song.
20 General Chiang. See Simple Song.
32 Simple Song. Carried 9-7 when beaten 8l. by Prince Regent (12-7), Navan February (3m. 'chase.). General Chiang (11-3) was fifth of 14, and September (11-10) behind.

5.0—CONNACHT FLAT, £50. 2m. 2f. Age st. lb.
PRINCIPALITY (Mr. G. Mullan) Sleator, jun. 5 11 4
CLONKER (Mr. Michael Farrell) G. Ferrall a 11 4
FUNNY (Mr. J. V. Rank) T. W. Dreaper 6 11 4
BALLYFRIAR (Mr. G. Ferrall) Owner 5 10 8
CULLEEN'S ACTOR (Capt. E. A. Gargan) ....Casey a 10 8
MAIRETOI (Capt. C. B. Harty) Owner 5 10 8
ROM (Mr. P. McCavana) Mangan 4 10 8
FALCARRAGH (Mr. J. A. Mangan) ....Owner 6 10 8
YUM-YUM (Mr. A. F. Minchin) Mulligan a 10 8
GLORIOUS VIEW (Mrs. T. P. Downes) ....Downes 6 10 8
COVER NOTE (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers 6 10 8

00 Principality. Fell at Navan February (hurdles). See Clonker.
01 Funny. Carried 11-5 when dead-heating with Trigger Jack (11-0) Leopardstown January (2m.). Mairetoi (11-5), Cover Note (11-5), and Glorious View (11-0) were unplaced.
30 Clonker. Unplaced with 11-7 to St. Emilion (11-7) Navan February (2m.). Carried 11-2 when beaten short head, 2l. by Lout's Mistake (10-7) and Border Knight (10-3) Naas February (1½m. hurdles). Principality (10-12) was unplaced. See Falcarragh.
22 Culleen's Actor. Carried 12-2 when beaten 3l. by Crickstown (12-2) Dundalk May (3m. 'chase).
00 Mairetoi. Carried 10-0 when sixth of 21 to Hyskier (10-7) Baldoyle February (1½m. hurdles). See Funny.
30 Falcarragh. Carried 11-9 when fifth of 20 to Prince Blackthorn (10-9) Baldoyle February (2m.). Glorious View (11-9) and Cover Note (11-9) were behind. Carried 12-0 when beaten 4l., 3l. by Clonker (12-0) and Baldonnel (11-9) Naas January (2m.).
00 Glorious View. See Falcarragh and Funny.
00 Cover Note. See Falcarragh and Funny.

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For the first time a Dublin-owned puppy yesterday at Powerstown Park, Clonmel, won the Derby, when the 20 to 1 long odds chance, Mettlesome Negro, in the deciding course, beat Mr. T. O'Sullivan's Kusta Bok. The Oaks was won by the brilliant Cold Evening, and Tiro's exceptional pace easily brought him through the International Cup.

Many thought that in the decider for the Derby Kusta Bok got the turn in a great buckle with Mr. P. J. Byrne's black. It certainly was an unusually close thing, but from my angle the vital points were taken by Mettlesome Negro on the inside. Even then Kusta Bok, bred by Mr. Arthur Callanan, V.S., had his chance, but the extra course on Thursday, and the fact that Mettlesome Negro had only four pipe-openers on the first two days, was too much of a handicap, and he was clearly beaten by a fast and determined puppy. It was a remarkable performance by Cold Evening. A few weeks ago she crashed into a stake, and lacerated her chest so badly that nine stitches had to be put in the wound. She, however, displayed dazzling pace and brilliant working, and never left the issue in the least doubt. In the decider she led Mr. T. Bourke's Brilliant Tulip four lengths, and allowed her only one score.

The chairman of the I.C.C., Mr. John Bruton, had his second important success of the season. Sir Sam, in his nomination, won the National Cup at Newbridge, and now his representative, Tiro, by his excellent pace, won the International Cup. Details:—

DERBY (64 dog puppies).

Fifth Round—Mettlesome Negro beat Cloughoone (unsighted); Kusta Bok (3l.) beat Up the Aisle.

Decider—Mr. P. J. Byrne's bk. Mettlesome Negro (Gale Side Silver—Gay Flower) beat Mr. T. O'Sullivan's bd. Kusta Bok (Valiant Cutlet—Karra Katta).

OAKS (32 bitch puppies).

Third Round—Fair Mistress (2l.) beat Brainy Bella; Cold Evening (2l.) beat Work Basket; Cotton Craw (2l.) beat Invincible Lady; Brilliant Tulip (2l.) beat Raider's Rattler.

Fourth Round.—Cold Evening (3l.) beat Fair Mistress; Brilliant Tulip (1l.) beat Cotton Craw.

Decider—Messrs. Lalor and Carey's bd. Cold Evening (Wee and Cold—Tour Flapper) beat Mr. T. Bourke's bd. Brilliant Tulip (Lono Man—Belgian Princess).

INTERNATIONAL CUP (32 all ages).

Third Round—Dutch Cutlet (2l.) beat Self Cured; Ballymacquin Monarch (1l.) beat Valiant Brother; Tiro (just up) beat Leading Border; Jim Mac (3l.) beat Hopeful Man.

Fourth Round.—Dutch Cutlet (3l.) beat Ballymacquin Monarch; Tiro (3l.) beat Jim Mac.

Decider—Mr. J. Bruton ns. bd. d. Tiro (Mr. Moon—Initiation) beat Mr. D. Dunne ns. Dutch Cutlet (Dutch Sandills—Kells Cutlet).

ST. MARGARETS—TO-DAY

PUPPY STAKE (16)—Dashing Staker v. Harristown Nell; Gallant Form v. Silver Gale; Cut More Turf v. Galway Lace; Runaway Larry v. Gifted Man; Prodigal Boy v. Ballyboozer; Lively Rattle v. Turk Man's Fancy; Winter Tide v. Rebel Balmy Again; Harristown Fairy v. Harristown Girl.

BELTON CUP (8 all ages)—Dark Fell v. King of the Wood; Thomastown Yank v. Speed and Sparkle; Johnie's Son v. Sea Sprite; Carnagh Lass v. Vanity's Victim.

BOOT STAKES (7 two-course)—Ballycragh Skipper v. Paddy Gale; Williamstown Skipper v. Wee Banner; Harristown Sandy v. Dainty Floss; Meadow Foxtail a bye.

WARD STAKES (6 one-course)—Sly Rascal v. Harristown Gorry; Tower Temple v. Bridge Money; Evening Outlook v. Black Child.

First brace in slips at 12.30.

Week-End Sports Fixtures

RUGBY

TO-DAY.

Leinster-Connaught v. Ulster-Munster, Lansdowne road, 3.15.

Dundalk v. Wanderers "A," Dundalk, 2.30.

TO-MORROW.

University College v. Blackrock College, Belfield.

TEAMS

Leinster-Connaught—M. B. Williams (Leinster); P. Meehan (Leinster), C. Fenan, A. Carry (Leinster), T. Chamberlain (Leinster); F. Quinn, R. Lehane (Leinster); P. Kilkelly, E. O'Malley (Connaught), D. Ryan (Leinster), J. Joyce (Connaught), E. G. Ryan (Leinster), J. J. Guiney, K. O'Brien (Leinster), P. J. Horan (Connaught).

Ulster-Munster—J. Harvey (Munster); J. D. Torrens, L. O'Brien, S. D. Walsh (Munster), W. J. Higson (Ulster); H. Greer (Ulster), H. de Lacy (Munster); M. R. Neilly (Ulster), F. H. Cromey (Ulster), J. Corcoran (Munster), D. O'Loughlin, E. Keeffe (Munster), J. E. Nelson (Ulster), P. Griffin (Munster), J. V. McCullough (Ulster).

Blackrock College—J. P. Westby; M. C. Maguire, P. M. Crowe, T. J. Cribben, G. A. Creedon; T. D. Brophy, J. C. Ferris; T. J. Kenny, J. J. Kenny, M. J. Cronan, S. A. Morrison, P. Hanley, K. J. Keenan, B. P. Dunne, P. K. McNeill.

Wanderers "A" XV.—W. H. Booker; J. N. B. Taylor, S. T. McCollum, A. B. Robertson, L. N. Horan; J. A. Collins, C. Fox; C. R. Graves, W. H. Deane, G. W. McGibney, T. R. Horan, D. G. Sherriff, J. B. Hamilton, R. Satchwell, J. H. Hazlett, postponed. They will be played on Tuesday next.

SOCCER

F.A.I. CUP.

To-day (3.30). Shelbourne v. Dundalk, Shelbourne Park.

To-morrow (3.30). Drumcondra v. Bohemians, Tolka Park; Bray Unknowns v. Shamrock Rovers, Bray; Cork United v. St. James's Gate, Cork.

TEAMS

Shelbourne—Kiernan; Meek, Olphert; Walsh, Fallon, Doyle; Kennedy, O'Driscoll, Bradshaw, Cassidy, Hayden.

Dundalk—Matier; O'Neill, Crawley; Donnelly, Leathem, Lunn; Barlowe, Haden, Kelly, Lavery, McCartney.

Drumcondra — Armstrong; O'Rourke, Byrne; O'Brien (F.), Hutchinson, Douglas; Ward, Daly, McNamara, Jenkins, Meehan.

Bohemians—E. Flynn; F. Glennan, K. Kerr; T. Kinsella, C. Byrne, A. Horlacher; R. Smith, A. Jordan, A. Breslin, R. McGrane, M. O'Flanagan.

Bray Unknowns—Cahill; McConville, Doran; Dempsey, Murphy, Reddy; O'Brien, McCrystal, Bazil, Martin, Dunne.

Shamrock Rovers—Palmer; Clarke, Healy; Doherty, Bryson, Harris; Cochrane, Dunne, Coad, Farrell, Kelly. Reserves—Comerford, Creevy, Leeney. Carlisle Building, 2 o'c. Sunday.

Cork United—Foley; Hayes, Duffy; McGowan, O'Riordan, Noonan; O'Reilly, McFarlane, McCarthy, O'Neill, Madden.

HOCKEY

INTER-PROVINCIALS.

Leinster v. Munster, Londonbridge road (2.30). J. H. Ross, J. Sheehan.

Ulster v. Connaught. Londonbridge road (3.15).

SENIOR LEAGUE "B."

St. James's Gate I. v. Clontarf I. The Styles. J. H. Simms, R. W. Keegan.

Brookville I. v. Dalkey I. Malahide road. H. W. Cooper, A. J. Keegan.

RAILWAY CUP—SEMI-FINAL.

Grangegorman v. Pembroke Wan. II. Grangegorman, (2.45). L. Bowers, A. W. Palk.

SCHOOLS INTER-PROVINCIAL.

South-Eastern Schools v. Leinster Schools. Claremont road (11 a.m.). W. Chiddick, L. J. Winder.

TEAMS

Leinster—A. Worrall (Y.M.C.A.); F. Stevenson (Dublin Univ.), W. Lindsay (Corinthians); R. K. Pilkington (Three Rock Rovers), S. Fleming (Dublin Univ.), V. Sanderson (Y.M.C.A.); C. Leopold (Railway Union), D. McGilligan (Dublin University) J. A. MacDonogh (Three Rock Rovers) R. F. Browne (Avoca School), J. V. Luce (Dublin University).

Leinster Schools—G. Miller (Avoca); F. Filgas (King's Hospital), D. Metcalfe (St. Patrick's); N. Browne (Avoca), R. Ruddock (King's Hospital), W. Foley (King's Hospital); D. Magahey (King's Hospital), R. Murdock (Dundalk), R. Wood (King's Hospital), E. Welch (Dundalk), J. Quill (St. Patrick's).

Connaught—J. Coogan (Graig); N. Croke, C. Odlum (Maryborough); P. Loughlin (Maryborough), P. O'Keeffe (Pembroke Wanderers), J. Joyce (Graig); E. Prendergast (Graig), J. A. Delaney, J. O'Leary (Graig), J. O'Keeffe (Maryborough), R. H. Russell (Three Rock Rovers).

South-Eastern Schools—E. Wolfe (Newtown); J. Rose (Bishop Foy's), W. Livingstone (Newtown); T. Wellard (Newtown), J. Roberts (Kilkenny), K. Bishop (Newtown); W. Devlin (Bishop Foy's), T. Rafter (Kilkenny), W. Mitchell (Bishop Foy's), D. MacLachlan (Newtown) (captain), J. Carroll (Kilkenny).

GAELIC

Croke Park—Faughs and E. Ruadh, 11.45; Civil Service v. Kevins, 1.0.

Parnell Park—McDermotts v. Ben Edars, 12.0; St. Josephs v. U.C.D., 1.15.

Belfield (hurling)—U.C.D. v. Young Irelands, 11.45.

Crumlin—O'Tooles v. Westerns, 11.45; Parnells v. Clans, 1.0.

Blanchardstown—Geraldines v. Mackens 4.0; Saggart v. St. Margarets, 2.45.

Naas—Marino v. Ballyfinn, 3.30 (Leinster Schools' Final).

Athy—Kildare v. Laoighis (Leinster F. League).

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

TO-DAY.

Ward Union, Kilrue, 1.30; Louth Mooretown, 11.0; Bray, Newtownmountkennedy, 2.0; South Co. Dublin, Blackchurch, 2.0; Newry, Glen Chapel, 12.30; Naas, Kilgowan, 1.0; Waterford, Kildarmody, 11.30; Strabane, Urney Meeting-house, 1.0; Wicklow, Killahurler, 12.0; North Armagh, Jenny Joyce's Cross-roads, 1.0; Co. Down, Darragh Cross-roads, 12.30; Kilkenny, Dunkitt Cross-roads, 12.0; Carlow, Bull Ring Cross-roads, 11.30; Tipperary, Coleman's Cross, 12.0; United Hunt, Devonshire's Hill, 11.30; Duhallow, Ballywalter Bridge, 11.30; South Mayo, Mayo Abbey; Kildare, Betaghstown Cross-roads, 11.30; Mount Loftus, Mount Loftus.

More Changes in Rugby Teams

Further changes are announced in the teams for the match at Lansdowne road to-day. George Morgan (injured) is off the Leinster-Connaught side, and his place at half-back will be taken by R. Lehane (Leinster). W. Callinan (Connaught) also is unable to play, and E. A. Carry (Leinster) plays in his stead.

C. T. Teehan is off the Ulster-Munster team, and his place will be filled by F. H. Cromey (Ulster), while J. Corcoran (Munster) takes Cromey's place. P. Griffin replaces J. Griffin in the Ulster-Munster pack, and not J. Corcoran as announced yesterday.

In the programme of the match a picture of the Irish team that won the triple crown is given.

The Havelock square entrance will not be available to-day. Mr. J. Deacy (Connaught) will referee.

SCHOOLS' RUGBY CUP

NEWBRIDGE...... 6 ST. COLUMBA'S... 3

Of the three Schools' Cup matches arranged for yesterday at Donnybrook, only one was played, Newbridge College defeating St. Columba's College by 2 tries to 1. Hardy slipped away from a scrummage to score a try for Newbridge in the first half, and St. Columba's had a good chance to take the lead when McKee went in for a try between the posts, but Vigors missed the kick. The second half was well contested, and a try by Farrell for Newbridge decided the match.

The other Junior Cup match between Belvedere College and King's Hospital and the Senior Cup match between Terenure College and Blackrock College had to be postponed. They will be played on Tuesday next.

Hockey Success For Munster

MUNSTER .... 4 ULSTER 3

Considering the conditions—which caused the Leinster-Connaught match to be postponed—Munster and Ulster put up a very good display at Claremont road yesterday, the former winning by 4 goals to 3. A draw would have better summed up the merits of the teams. The umpires had a most difficult job on such a heavy pitch, and did it well, but Munster were fortunate to be awarded the winning goal.

Ulster got off to a fine start, Bowden cutting through in his best style to make an opening, which Smith finished off cleverly with a push shot. Healy equalised for Munster, who got right on top until the interval. Quinlan beat Carroll, and placed his push shot perfectly, to give them the lead, and de Lacy put them 3-1 up at half time. The second half was nearly all Ulster's, and Smith and Groves put them on level terms, but Healy got one more for Munster before the end.

CHANGE OF VENUE

The schools' interprovincial, between Leinster and South-East, will be played to-day at Y.M.C.A. ground, Claremont road, instead of at College Park.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Portmarnock.—To-day — Great Northern Cup, strokes.

Royal Dublin.—To-day—Black Watch medal, strokes.

Grange.—Competition postponed. Annual meeting in clubhouse 7.0.

Killorney.—To-day — Fourball, bogey, sweep Ladies—9 holes, flag; draw 3.0.

Bray.—To-day—Medal, bogey, 18 holes.

Howth.—To-morrow—Mitchell Shield foursomes; first eight pairs qualify.

Rathfarnham.—Ladies — Tuesday—Foursomes; draw 10.30.

Delgany.—Ladies — Tuesday — Medal, 9 holes, strokes. Committee meeting.

Island.—Ladies — Wednesday — Medal, strokes.

Clontarf.—Ladies — Monday — General meeting 7.30.

Dundalk.—Ladies — Officers — Captain, Mrs. W. Lait; Hon. Sec., Mrs. L. V. Feehan. Winner I.L.G.U. Silver Spoon—Miss K. Carroll, 216.

Lucan.—Officers for 1942—President, Dr. G. P. Sheehan; captain, Mr. D. Gallivan; hon. treasurer, Mr. W. R. Such; hon. secretary, Mr. T. H. Sandes. To-day—Monthly cup, 18 holes, strokes.

Clontarf.—To-morrow—Fourball, bogey.

Foxrock. — To-day—Vice-captain's prize, strokes; 8 qualify.

Elm Park.—To-day—Medal, 18 holes, bogey.

Milltown.—To-day—Fourball, bogey, 18 holes.

ENGLISH RACING OFF

Nottingham Races, which had been arranged for to-day, have been abandoned. There has been no racing in England since January 10.

ROSSE COLLEGE (LADIES' DEPT.), Stephen's Gn., Dublin. Thorough Office Training. Preparations for Civil Service Exams., Bank Clerkships, etc. —(Advt.)

ROVERS-GATE INCIDENT

Mr. W. R. Hamilton, who refereed last Sunday's match between Shamrock Rovers and St. James's Gate, points out that a wrong impression might be given by a statement in our report that he pointed to the centre and then awarded a free against. Mr. Hamilton states that he pointed up the field and then indicated that Ward had made use of his elbow. There was no question of his reversing his decision.

SWIMMING

At the annual meeting of the Leinster Branch, I.A.S.A., the following officers were elected:—President, Mr. T. H. Corrigan (re-elected); vice-presidents, Mr. W. McCormick and Dr. Ellerker; hon. secretary, B. T. Barry; hon. treasurer, E. Heron; assistant hon. secretary, J. E. Doyle; hon. secretary, Water Polo Committee, P. G. Condon; hon. secretary, Diving Committee, B. T. Walsh; hon. secretary, Schools' Committee, Rev. Fr. McEvoy; hon. secretary, Ladies' Committee, Miss D. Dermody; hon. handicaper, E. Heron; hon. secretary, Life-saving Committee, C. Heather.

Members of Council—P. J. Lavery, C. Warren, L. Boyd.

Delegates to I.A.S.A.—B. T. Barry, E. Heron, W. McCormick, Comdt. W. O'Kelly, T. H. Corrigan.

The motion to alter the rules relative to championships was carried. It was decided to form a committee to promote swimming among schoolgirls in the South. Schoolboy members of affiliated clubs are to be allowed to compete in schoolboys' championships.

ARMY JUNIOR BOXING FINALS

The Army junior boxing finals at the Stadium last night resulted as follows:—

Fly—Pte. T. Mardy (Infantry) beat Pte. M. Brennan (Con. Corps) on points.

Bantam—Pte. T. Flaherty (Air Corps) k.o. Pte. T. O'Sullivan (Infantry) 1st round.

Feather—Pte. R. Dempsey (Air Corps) beat Pte. T. Lakes (Infantry) on points.

Light—Pte. J. Taaffe (Air Corps) k.o. Pte. J. McCormack (Infantry) on points.

Welter—Pte. J. Madden (C.T.M.) w.o., Pte. T. McGovern (Air Corps) scr.

Middle—Gnr. H. McConnell (Artillery) beat Cpl. F. O'Neill (Infantry) on points.

Cruiser—Pte. M. Behan (C.T.M.) beat Pte. J. Fitzgerald (Air Corps) on points.

Heavy—Pte. B. Kinsella (Infantry) beat Pte. W. O'Sullivan (Ordnance) on points.

ULSTER TEAM

The following team has been chosen to represent Ulster against an Irish team at the Stadium, Dublin, on March 13:—E. Barnes (Mackies) and W. R. Hall (St. Mary's), flyweights; J. Murphy (Banbridge), bantam; J. Nugent (St. George's), feather; W. Smith (Mackies) and F. Cooke (Windsor), light; J. Lennon (Windsor), welter; J. Blackborow (Crown), middle; H. W. Kelly (Crown), cruiser; J. Morkus (Crown), and J. Tait (Windsor), heavies.

UNIVERSITIES' JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

The junior championships of the Irish universities were decided at Galway last night. The finals resulted as under:—

Fly-weight—P. Lyons (U.C.G.) beat C. Burke (U.C.D.). Bantam—J. Kenny (U.C.G.) k.o. C. O'Hanlon (U.C.D.) in first round. Feather—J. Connolly (D.U.) beat N. McCann (U.C.D.) in third round. Light—P. Prestage (U.C.D.) beat J. McR. Bryan (D.U.) in first round. Welter—P. Power (U.C.D.) beat E. McGivern (U.C.G.). Middle—J. Moloney (U.C.G.) beat S. Flannery (U.C.D.). Cruiser—C. Murray (U.C.D.) beat A. McMorrow (D.U.) in first round. Heavy—A. O'Brien Moran (U.C.D.) walked-over.

FUNERAL

MR. BARNEY MELLOWS

Among those who attended the funeral of Mr. Barney Mellows, at Glasnevin Cemetery yesterday, were An Taoiseach (Mr. de Valera), An Tanaiste (Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly), Mr. Frank Fahy, Ceann Comhairle; Mr. O. Traynor, Mr. F. Aiken, Mr. G. Boland, Mr. S. MacEntee, Mr. P. J. Ruttledge, Major-General H. MacNeill, Assistant Chief of Staff; Captain Sean Brennan, Colonel J. J. O'Connell, the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.), Mr. Sean Gibbons, Chairman of the Seanad; Messrs. T. Crowley, T.D.; R. Walsh, T.D.; Sean Brady, T.D.; T. Mullen, T.D.; P. J. Fogarty, T.D.; E. Cooney, T.D.; Senators Miss M. Pearse, N. Blayney, S. Goulding, M. Conlon, Sean O'Donovan, C. M. Byrne, Mr. F. Gallagher, Director Government Information Bureau; General Eoin O'Duffy, M. Knightly, Press Censor; P. O Dubhthaigh, and Mrs. Tom Clarke, T.C.

The firing party and guard of honour were drawn from members of old Fianna Eireann.

"POISON TO KILL BIG GREY CAT"

ACCUSED WOMAN'S STATEMENT TO POLICE

THAT he had no doubt that the deceased man had died from strychnine poisoning, was the statement made by Dr. John McGrath, State Pathologist, in the Central Criminal Court, Green street, Dublin, yesterday during the hearing of the case in which Sarah Madigan (42), of Dough, Kilkee, Co. Clare, is accused of the murder of her husband, Patrick Madigan (60), a road worker.

The hearing was adjourned until this morning.

Dr. McGrath explained that in arriving at the conclusion of strychnine poisoning he considered tetanus closely, the convulsions of which were somewhat similar. He had found symptoms perfectly consistent with strychnine poisoning and inconsistent with tetanus.

To Mr. McCarthy, he said that he had no doubt that this person died of strychnine poisoning.

To Mr. Binchy, the witness said that no measurable or weightable quantity of strychnine was found in Madigan's organs. All the analyst got was an indication of strychnine.

Dr. Theobald Dillon, University College, Dublin, said that he had come to the conclusion that strychnine poisoning had caused Madigan's death.

GUARDS' EVIDENCE

Guard J. A. Griffin said that on September 13 Mrs. Madigan, who was with her son, John, asked the witness to go to her house, that her husband was acting like a lunatic, and that she wanted him taken out of the house. He had thrown a kettle of boiling water on Nora, struck a young child with his fist, drew a knife on her, and made an allegation that the last child that had died was not his. The witness saw Patrick Madigan in the house, and he looked quite normal. The witness saw nothing wrong with Nora, or the other child.

On a later occasion the witness warned Mrs. Madigan about striking Maureen Burke, and she replied that the girl had been down at the barracks, and made a statement in which she said that she saw her with Hassett.

Guard M. Kiernan gave evidence of visiting Madigan's house on different dates after his death, and seeing hens and chickens in and about the place.

Guard D. Connell said that he saw Madigan peeping into the Guards station. He apparently did not want to be seen. He noticed that his face was sore. On September 23 he visited Madigan's and told Mrs. Madigan that he was sorry to hear of her trouble. "Things had not been too good for the past week," she said. The witness took it that she was referring to her husband's health.

Inspector P. Mahoney gave evidence of a statement made by Mrs. Madigan, in which she stated that she never kept company with Hassett or any other man. About three weeks before his death her husband threatened to take the reins off the pony, and said he would hang her. He did not, however, take the reins off the pony. They had been married 25 years, and had seventeen children. They had lived happily up to a fortnight previously, when her husband told lying stories about her keeping company with Hassett. She bought the strychnine to kill a "big grey cat." She had no doubt that her husband did not meddle with the strychnine.

In a second statement Mrs. Madigan said that for a week before her husband's death she knew that he was not well. Once he tried to stick her with a bread knife, but her son John intervened. Mrs. Madigan described how she laid the poison to kill the cats that were killing her chickens. She had nineteen chickens altogether. She denied saying to Peter de Loughrey: "I would rather see my husband coming home dead than alive."

The statement added that on September 13 there were only six chickens left, and the following morning there was only one. The meat containing the poison was gone.

JUNIOR EXECUTIVE OFFICERS. Special Evening Class now working.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, Dublin. —(Advt.)

STOCK MARKET REPORTS

GUINNESS AGAIN HIGHER

MORE DOING IN DUBLIN

Public interest showed signs of broadening on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and the undertone was steady to harder.

There was again strong buying of Guinness units on local account, and they jumped a further 1/9 to 88/3. Rails were again busy, but irregular. Great Northern Pref. dipped to 32½ but the Deb. hardened to 70½. Great Southern Gtd. were lowered 10/- to 41/-.

Dublin Transport Ord. enjoyed support, and improved to 16/6. Alliance Gas. Ord. were nominally steady at around 18/10½ on the dividend of 2½ p.c. for the past half-year.

Ranks (Ireland) Pref. hardened to 25/9. Switzer Pref. to 18/-, and Cement Ord. to 32/9. Irish Times 1st Pref. relapsed 6/- to 30/-, but Smyth and Co. Ord., on the final dividend of 5 p.c., making again 8 p.c. for the year, advanced 1/6 to 19/-.

Courtaulds Ord. were dull at 31/9 on the reduction in the dividend. Imperial Tobaccos opened steady at 124/9, and closed on a strong note, being called about 127/6. Burmah Oils recovered to 29/10½, and other favourites advised generally firmer.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

*Odd lot. a asked. b bid.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (under £200) (105) 105; 4 p.c. Conversion (108) 108; do. (under £200) (107⅞) 107¾; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (under £200) (108¼) 108¼; 3¼ p.c. Security (101¾) 101¾; do. (under £200) (100⅞) 101½; do. Scrip (Fully Paid) (100⅞) 101 1; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (115) 115; do. (under £200) (114¾) 114⅞; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (107) 106⅞; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105⅛) 104⅞.

CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 4 p.c. 1955/'60 (105) 105b.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (303) 302b; Hibernian (36/3) 36/9; National (36/3) 36/3a; Royal (101½) *10 9/16 ½.

BREWERIES—Guinness Ord. (86/6) 87/3 7/3 8/- 8/3.

SHIPPING—Cunard Steam Ord. *14/-.

RAILS AND GAS—Great Northern Ord. (13½) 13½; do. Pref. (33) 33 2¾ 2¾; do. Deb. (70) 70¼; Great Southern Pref. (19½) 20a; do. Gtd. (41½) 41 *1; do. Deb. (61) 61; Dublin Transport Ord. (16/-) 16/6; do. 5 p.c. 2nd Deb. (106) 106a; Alliance Gas Ord. (18/10½) 18/9b 19/-a.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Batchelor Ord. (7/6) 7/6; Cement Ord. (32/6) 32/9; do. Deb. (107⅝) 107⅝b; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (5/-) 5/-; Goulding Ord. (21/-) 21/-; do. Pref. (23/6) 23/6; Harrington Pref. (23/10) *23/9; Irish Cinema Pref. (13/3) 13/3; Irish Dunlop Pref. (20/6) 20/9; Irish Times 1st Pref. (36/-) *30/-; Polikoff (I.F.S.) Pref. (17/4½) 17/4½a; Ranks (I.) Pref. (25/4½) *25/9; Smyth and Co. Ord. (17/6) 19/-; Switzer Pref. (17/9) 18/-; Williams and Woods Pref. (22/6) 21/-b 23/-a.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS—Burmah Oil Ord. (29/4½) *29/10½; Bradford Dyers Ord. *7/10½; Calico Printers Pref. (13/10½) *13/7½; Courtaulds Ord. (32/4½) 31/9; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (124/9) 124/9; Turner and Newall Ord. (68/9) 69/3.

IRISH BANKS' RATE (changed October 26, 1939), 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stocks transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

OTHER EXCHANGES

BIRMINGHAM—Motors firmer. Hudsons, Raleighs and Humbers all better. Crossleys easier at 5/7½. Alvis 3/4½, Austin "A" 15/6, Dennis 21/1½, Dunlop 26/-, Enfield 17/9, Ford 25/-, Guy 1/10½, Humber 13/1½, Leyland 72/-, Lucas 68/3, Morris 30/6, Napier 6/6, Raleigh 58/6, Rolls 83/3, Rover 16/7½, Singer 3/9, Standard 15/7½, Triplex 30/4½, Pressed Steel 21/-.

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers 4/4-6, Dyers 8/3-8/9, "Slubbers" 3/9-4/3, Calicos 5/9-6/3, Coats 35/6-36/-, Courtaulds 32-32/6, Dunlops 26/-26/6, Cottons 28/6-29/6 Velvet 3/6-4/6, Spinners 5/3-5/9, Henrys 10/6-11/-, Turner and Newall 67/6-70/-, Wall Paper Def. 23/-24/-.

LONDON MONEY MARKET

The market found the supply of credit quite inadequate for its needs yesterday, and special buying had to take place in order to relieve the situation. Reflecting this tightness of credit, applications at yesterday's Treasury bill tender amounted to only £142,580,000, against £153,705,000, and the market syndicate increased its quota from 31 p.c. to 35 p.c. As a result, the market quota increased from 31 p.c. to 35 p.c. The syndicate bid for Monday to Friday bills of 92 days' currency was £99 14/11, and Saturday's bills were allotted in full at £99 15/-.

IMPORTANT DIVIDENDS.

A dividend of 2½ per cent. on the Ordinary stock for the half-year ended December 31, 1941, is announced by the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company.

A like payment was made for the previous half-year, but 3 per cent. was paid for the corresponding period of 1940.

Smyth and Co., the Balbriggan hosiery firm, is maintaining the year's dividend on the Ordinary shares at 8 per cent. by the payment of a final dividend of 5 per cent.

Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien.—Report of directors for year 1941—summary of which appeared in last Tuesday's issue—was adopted at the annual meeting yesterday. Points from the Chairman's speech are published in page 1.

Metropole Hotels Co. (Ireland).—At yesterday's meeting of shareholders the adoption of the report and statement of accounts for the year 1941 was passed unanimously. A dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, for the year was declared.

LONDON BRIGHTER

BUYERS RETURN IN FORCE

Buyers returned in good force to the London Stock markets yesterday, and, with Kaffirs and Industrials setting the pace, most sections made a bright finish to the week. The revival in Kaffirs reflected satisfaction with the Union Budget, and in more active conditions than for some time past prices for Far West Rand favourites moved up rapidly, with West Wits., Western Reefs and Blyvoors competing for major honours.

Industrials were assisted by "bear" covering, stimulated to some extent by the Russian War news, and Imperial Tobaccos figured prominently up to 128/1½, at which level a spurt of 3/1½ was shown. The news concerning trading restrictions having already been discounted, Guinness quickly overcame a dull start, and the units were finally 1/6 up at 87/6. The Stores group also found a place in the limelight, and Marks and Spencer were notably better at 34/7½. One of the few weak exceptions was Courtaulds, the shares losing 1/- to 32/- on the Chairman's warning that stockholders should not expect a Viscose distribution.

Gains in Old War Loan and Local Loans were insignificant. Foreign Bonds lagged behind other groups, and similarly British Rails were subdued. In Foreign Rails, there was continued inquiry for Argentines, with "Bags" featuring at 9 among the Ordinaries. The prior charges put on anything up to 1½. Central Argentine 5 p.c. Debs. gaining this amount to 38.

Excepting dullness in isolated issues, usually due to specific factors, Industrials displayed buoyancy from the outset, and with business in several sections assuming wider proportions, the market generally moved in line with "Imps," and closed on a distinctly firm note. Stores witnessed lively trading in Harrods, Marks and Woolworth, whilst Breweries, heartened by the quick rally in Guinness, scored an all-round advance.

In the Insurance group, Prudential "A" jumped 2 to 22½ on the increased dividend, and in a steadier Steel group Vickers rose to 16/6 and Dorman Long Ord. recovered 9d. to 15/-.

Mines claimed a substantial proportion of the available support, and an early rise in Kaffirs was accelerated when dealers found that local, as well as Cape, operators were in a buying mood. The dividend-payers wound up with numerous firm spots, Geduld advancing no less than 3/16 to 7⅛. The non-producers were even more colourful, however, and Blyvoors were finally 1/6 higher at 27/9.

Oils had a quiet time, with Ultramars offered down to 54/9 and Kerns easier on the reduced dividend. "Shells" and the Eagle "twins" also lost ground.

FOOD MARKETS

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN.—Oats 19/10, barley 29/4 to 31/4, and wheat 37/- to 41/- per barrel, ex farm.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Champions, Dates and Kerr's Pinks 7/6; Arran Chiefs and Sprys 7/-; mixed whites 6/6 per cwt.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Creams in small supply at 163/- per cwt. cash, less allowance on box. Egg market weak, at:—Specials 26/6 to 27/6, standards 24/6 to 25/6, selected 23/- to 24/-, pullets 22/- to 22/6, seconds 21/-, and ducks 19/- to 21/- per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—York cabbage large 30/- to 50/-, small 12/- to 18/-; savoy large 13/- to 43/-, extra 50/-, small 10/- to 19/- load; swedes 2/3 to 4/-, mangolds 2/- per cwt., cauliflowers 4/- to 6/-, seconds 6d. to 2/9; lettuce 2/6 to 3/- dozen, sprouts 2/6 to 5/-, artichokes 2/- to 3/-, beet 1/6 to 2/-, parsley 1/- chip, 3/- to 4/- bag; carrots 8/- to 12/-, parsnips 6/- to 8/-, onions 20/- to 30/-, mushrooms 4/- per lb., celery 2/- to 7/-, seakale 2/6, turnips 6d. to 8d. bundle, apples 20/- to 35/- keg, 45/- to 68/- barrel, and dessert 18/- to 38/- box, according to quality.

DUBLIN FISH.—Demand fair at:—Salmon 4/8 to 4/9, trout 2/- to 2/7, soles (black) 1/3 to 2/6, slips 6d. to 1/-, turbot 1/- to 1/11, brill 1/- to 1/8 per lb.; lobsters, 14/- to 33/- per 13; plaice 43/- to 80/-, cod 35/- to 43/-, whiting 15/- to 50/-, ray 22/- to 33/-, herrings 50/-, and mackerel 45/- box.

MANCHESTER SALMON, GAME AND POULTRY. — Demand for better supplies. Salmon only moderate and values have downward trend. Irish quoted 5/- to 6/- per lb. Small, but steady, deliveries of dead poultry quickly cleared. Chickens, fowls, ducks and geese 1/9, turkeys 2/9 per lb. Game in short supply and values well maintained. Pheasants up to 30/-, partridge 4/- to 9/- a brace; brown hares 7/6, mountain 4/6 each; rabbits scarce at 11½d. per lb., wholesale (controlled price).

GRIMSBY FISH. — Haddocks, sprags, codling, cod, gurnard, coalfish, catfish, ling and dogfish 7/- (heads on); lemon soles, plaice and dabs 15/-; roker 7/-; dry and wet salt cod 7/-; roes 7/6, and smoked haddocks 14/6 per stone.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Best hay 9/6 to 9/9, occasionally 10/-; secondary 8/3 to 9/3, strong old meadow 7/3 to 8/-, softer 5/6 to 5/9; straw, oaten 3/6 to 4/-, and wheaten 3/- to 3/6 per cwt.

J. LIGHTFOOT & SON, M.I.A.A., HAY, STRAW, CORN and POTATO FACTORS, MARY'S LANE and GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. (Established 1813).—(Advt.)

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Friday.—After a firm, but quiet opening, trading turned a shade more active, and gains were well maintained in most departments. Atchison Topeka reached a new peak, while improvement was also shown by U.S. Steel, Standard Oil of New Jersey, General Motors, Chrysler and Du Pont.

Traders were more optimistic regarding the war news, and gains of fractions to a point were recorded by assorted favourites.

The market closed steady.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights. ‖Ex Bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS.

Consols 2½%	83	83¼	5% Conversion	105¼	105¾	
Do. 4%	111 11/16	111 15/16	2½% Land	190½	92½	
3½% War Loan	105	105⅛	+1/16	I.F.S. 4½% Land	13	115	
3% War Loan	101 3/16	101 5/16		India 3%	91	91½	
Funding Loan	115⅛	115⅜	+⅛	Do. 3½%	101⅝	101⅞	
Victory Bonds	112¾	113¾		Local Loans	96 9/16	96 13/16	+1/16
3% Conversion	101	102		Nat. Def. 2½%	99¾	100¼	
Do. 3½%	105 15/16	106 3/16					

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS—INSURANCE.

Brazil 20-Year A	69		Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	48	+1	Bank of England	378½	
Do. 40-Year B.	49		B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	51½		Bank of Montreal	44	
Great Western	39½	−¼	B.A. Gt. Sth.	9	+½	Barclay A	52/0	
Do. 5% Pref.	109*		Do. 4% Deb.	55	+1	Lloyds	52/6	+0/6
L.M.S. Ord.	17		B.A. & Pacific 4% Deb.	69		Martins	8	
Do. 4% Pref.	68½	−½	Do. Con. 4½% Deb.	44	+½	Midland	8⅞	
Do 5% Rd. Pf.	97⅛		B.A. & Western	7¾	+¼	National Prov.	47/6	+0/6
Do. 4% Pf. '23	51½*		Do. 4% Deb.	47	+½	Standard S.A.	13¼	
L.N.E. Pf. Ord.	3½		Canadian Pacific	11 23/32	+1/32	Westminster	69/0	
Do. Def.	1⅞	−⅛	Do. 4% Deb.	100½		Do. £4, £1 pd.	80/6	
Do. 1st Pref.	50½*		C. Arg. 4% Deb.	40	+1	Alliance New	22	
Do. 2nd Pref.	18¾		Do. 5% Deb. 1967-87	38	+1½	London & Lan.	25	
L.P.T.B. 5% A.	129½		Cordoba 1st Deb.	77		Pearl	15	+¼
Do. 4½% A.	119½		Do. 2nd Deb.	87	+½	Phœnix £10	12	
Do. B	113½		Gd. Tk. 4% Guar.	100½		Prudential	22½	+2
Do. C	38½*					Do. B	90/0	+0/5
Sth. Pref. Ord.	62¼*					Royal Exchange	8¼	+⅛
Do. Def. Ord.	14¾*	−⅛				Royal	8⅛	
Do. 5% Pref.	105½*					Sun Life	5⅜	
San Paulo Ord.	43½					Yorkshire	7½	+⅛

INDUSTRIALS.

Allied Iron	24/4½		Carreras A	5¼		Lever & Unilever	26/3	
Austin (5/-)	15/6	+0/1½	Do. B	14/0	+0/3	Do. 8% Pref.	27/10½	
Allied News	20/0		Cerebos	8⅞		Do. 7% Pref.	27/10½	
Associated Def.	12/0		Crittal Manufg.	15/0		Lever N V	20/7½	
Aerated Bread	11/10½	−0/1½	City of London	27/5		London Brick	48/9*	
Assoc. Cement	48/9	+0/7½	Co. of London	37/6		Lancashire	34/6	
Assoc. Brit. Pict.	9/9	+0/1½	Calleuders	72/6		Metro. Electric	36/10½	
Assoc. Electric	46/9	+0/3	Crom. Parkinson	21/9		Mitchell & B.	77/0	+1/0
Babcock & Will.	43/3		Dorman Long	15/0	+0/9	Morris	30/4½	
Baldwins	4/9		De Havilland	41/3		Maypole Def.	2/0	
Bolsover Colliery	47/4½		Dunlop Rubber	26/8	+0/10½	Marconi	28/9	
Brown (J.)	27/6		Distillers	76/9	+1/6	Murex	90/0	
B.S.A.	20/6		Daily Mail Trust	21/0		Marks & Spencer	34/7½	+1/3
Boulton & Paul	3/3		Eastwoods	36/3		Oriental Tel.	48/9	
Bristol Aero	10/0		Elec. & Mus. Ind.	14/1½	+0/3	O.K. Bazaars A.	27/6	
Bovril Def.	26/10½		English Electric	38/9	+0/6	Pease & Partners	11/3	
Bleachers	4/3	−0/4½	English Cotton	29/4½		Powell Duffryn	16/9	
Bradford Dyers	8/4½		Edmundsons	28/6		Pressed Steel	21/0	
British Celanese	6/6		Ever Ready G.B.	31/0		P. & O. Def.	25/9	+0/4½
Do. 2nd Pref.	17/6		Firth Brown	60/0		Patons & Baldwin	46/10½	+0/6
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	76/3	+0/7½	Forestal Land	26/3		Pye Def.	14/6	
Beechams	36/10½		Fairey Aviation	13/0		Ruston & H.	34/9	
Do. Defd.	10/0		Ford	25/0		Rolls Royce	83/9	+1/3
Boots Drug	32/6		Finlay (J.)	50/7½		Reckitt	97/6*	
Borax Def.	29/4½		Furness Withy	21/10½		S.A. Breweries	112/6	+3/1½
Brazilian Tract.	13 5/16	+3/32	Fine Spinners	5/3		South Durham	25/0	
British Alum.	43/9		Gallaher	5 9/16		Staveley	43/0	+0/6
British Match	35/0		Gamage	12/4½		Stewart & L. Def	45/6	−0/3
British Oil Cake	41/10½	+0/7½	Godfrey Phillips	36/3		Sudan Plants	23/0	+0/4½
British Oxygen	67/6		Guest Keen	21/3		Standard	16/0	+0/1½
Brit. Plaster Brd.	22/0		Guinness	87/6	+1/6	Sunday Pictorial	24/6	
Brit. P. Cement	82/6		General Electric	82/6		Scribbans	11/3	
Brit. P. & L.	27/6		Home & Colonial	8/0		Schweppes	35/3	
Bass Ratcliff	142/6		Harrods	31/6	+1/6	Spillers	60/7½	
Brewers of Van.	28/0		Hadfields	26/6		Siemens	26/3	
Burton	9/0		Hudson's Bay	23/3		Thomas (R.)	4/6	
British Insulated	91/10½		Hawker Siddeley	12/3	+0/1½	Tilling (T.)	47/0	−0/3
Courage Brew.	56/0	+1/0	Harland & Wolff	16/9		Tob. Secs. Trust	55/3	+0/10½
Cammell Laird	7/9	−0/3	Henley's Tel.	22/6		Tate & Lyle	62/9	+0/3
Colvilles	19/9		International Tea	11/1½		Triplex Glass	20/9	−0/3
Consett Iron	6/4½		Imperial Tobacco	6 13/32	+7/32	Tube Investment	85/0	
Cory (Wm.)	81/10½	−0/7½	Do. Canada	52/6		Turner & Newall	68/6	−0/6
Clan Line	4½		Imp. Chemicals	32/6	+0/3	United Steel	22/7½	+0/1½
Coast Lines	10/0		Imp. Smelting	9/4½		United South	80/0	
Cab & W. Ord.	57½		Internat. Combus	5⅝		United Molasses	31/6	+1/3
Do. 5½% Pref.	96½		Internat. Nickel	42	+⅛	Vickers	16/6	+0/3
Do. 4% Fund.	99½		Ind Coope	84/6	+0/6	Wall Paper Def.	23/9	
Calico Printers	6/0	−0/1½	Johnson & Ph.	58/9		White Tomkins	38/9	
Canadian Celan.	5½		Leyland	71/10½		Watney Def.	55/6	+0/6
Coats	36/1½		Lyons (J.)	99/0	−0/4½	Woolworth	50/4½	+0/9
Courtaulds	32/0	−1/0	Lister	8/9				

MINES.

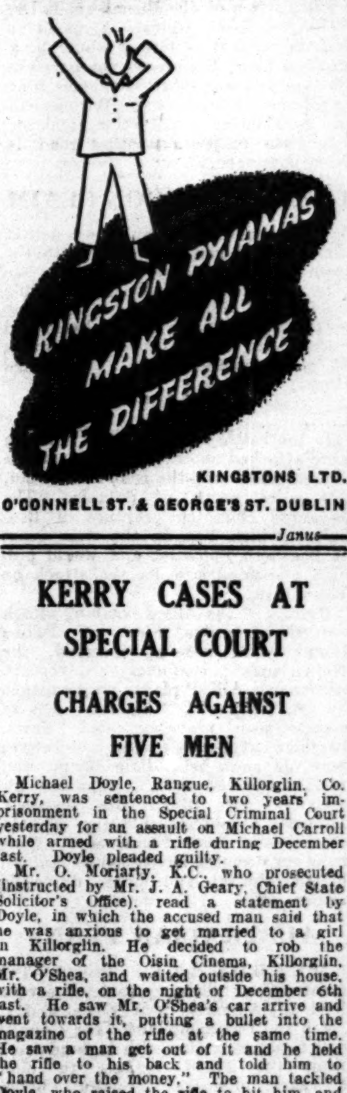
Ariston	6/9	+0/3	Marlu	4/0	
Ashanti	40/0	+0/7½	Marievale	20/6	+0/6
Bibiani	16/6		Modder	13/0	
Bkn. Hill Prop.	⅞		Nigel	2½	
Blyvoor	27/9	+1/6	Rand Selection	21/10½	+0/7½
Brakpan	31/3		Randfontein Est	37/6	+0/7½
Central Mining	11½		Rezende	6/3	
Chartered	21/9		Rhod. Ang. A.	14/3	
Cons. African Sel.	12/6		Rhodesian Selec.	10/3	
Cons. G.F.	1 13/16		Rhokana	7½	+⅛
Cons. M.R.	3¼		Rio Tinto	8	
Crown	9¼		Roan Antelope	12/10½	+0/1½
Daggafontein	1 15/16	+1/16	Selec. Trust	11/6	
De Beers	8⅛	+⅛	Simmer & Jack	12/9	
Do. Pref.	11⅛	+¼	Springs Mines	21/3	+0/7½
Durban Deep	2 15/16		S.A. Land	4 3/16	+1/16
East Dagga	1⅞		Sub Nigel	6½	
East Geduld	10		Union Corp.	6¼	
E. Rand Prop.	1 31/32	+1/16	Venterspost	31/10½	+1/3
G.C. Selection	9/0	−0/1½	Vereeniging	42/6	
Geduld	7⅛	+3/16	Victoria Falls	3 9/16 nom	−1/16
Geldenhuis Deep	21/3		Vlakfontein	20/7½	
Gen. Mining	3 11/16	+1/16	Vogels'bult	24/4½	
Govt. Areas	36/10½	+1/10½	Western Holding	14/9	+0/9
J'burg Cons.	35/7½	+1/3	West Rand	30/0	
Lake V. & S.	9/4½		Western Reefs	34/3	+1/3
Langlaagte	8/6		West. Springs	33/9	
Libanon	12/3	+0/3	West Wit. A.	4¼	+3/16
Luipaards Vlei	16/6				

OILS—RUBBERS.

Anglo-Iranian	40/0	
Do. 8% 1st Pf.	25/9	
Do. 9% Pref.	25/6	+0/3
Attock	31/3	
Burmah	30/7½	+0/7½
Canadian Eagle	11/7½	−0/1½
Mexican Eagle	13/3	−0/1½
Royal Dutch	14	
Shell	38/1½	−0/7½
Trinidad Lease	69/9	+0/7½
Do. Pet. Dev.	63/9	
Anglo-Dutch	8/9	
Anglo-Malay	3/9	
Bukit Mertajam	0/6	
Golden Hope	5/0	
Highlands	9/4½	
Kuala Lumpur	8/9	
London Asiatic	0/10½	
Malacca	5/0	
Malayalam	20/0	
Merliman P.	0/9	
Rubber Trust	10/6	
Sedenak	6/3	
Taiping	0/6	
Tandjong	6/7½	
Telogoredjo	5/0	
U. Sua Betong	16/10½	
Utd. Serdang	0/10½	

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KERRY CASES AT SPECIAL COURT

CHARGES AGAINST FIVE MEN

Michael Doyle, Rangue, Killorglin, Co. Kerry, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Special Criminal Court yesterday for an assault on Michael Carroll while armed with a rifle during December last. Doyle pleaded guilty.

Mr. O. Moriarty, K.C., who prosecuted (instructed by Mr. J. A. Geary, Chief State Solicitor's Office), read a statement by Doyle, in which the accused man said that he was anxious to get married to a girl in Killorglin. He decided to rob the manager of the Oisin Cinema, Killorglin, Mr. O'Shea, and waited outside his house, with a rifle, on the night of December 6th last. He saw Mr. O'Shea's car arrive and went towards it, putting a bullet into the magazine of the rifle at the same time. He saw a man get out of it and he held the rifle to his back and told him to "hand over the money." The man tackled Doyle, who raised the rifle to hit him, and it went off accidentally. The man fell and Doyle left the garage and spent the night in a hay barn. The man, who was Carroll, received a wound on the side of the head which, had it been a quarter of an inch to the right, would have killed him.

Mr. L. Trant McCarthy, defending, said that Doyle extended his apologies to Carroll; he had not meant to harm anybody. He wanted money to get married.

Michael Moroney, Killorglin, Co. Kerry, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment, not to be enforced if he entered into bail to be of good behaviour for two years, when he pleaded guilty to membership of an illegal organisation and possession of a rifle.

Eugene McGillicuddy, Glencar, Co. Kerry, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for membership of an illegal organisation and possession of incriminating documents.

John Ferris, Church Hill, Tralee, was sentenced to five years' penal servitude by the Special Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday for an armed assault on Thomas Flahive, Blennerville, Co. Kerry, on the night of January 1, 1942.

Thomas Flahive said that he was coming from a dance near his home with his sister when two men approached them. One produced a revolver and told him to put up his hands. The other held his hands behind his back and both searched him. They said they were looking for a gun. He was a member of the L.D.F. He recognised Ferris as the man who had held the gun on him.

Maureen Flahive corroborated her brother's evidence, and said that she recognised Ferris at the time of the hold-up. She knew him for about two years.

James Sheehy, Cloon, Killorglin, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment, not to be enforced if he entered into bail to keep the peace for two years, for possession of arms and membership of an illegal organisation.

Mr. O. Moriarty, K.C., instructed by Mr. J. A. Geary, State Solicitor's Office, prosecuted.

ARMED ASSAULT

Patrick Martin, 16 North Summer street, Dublin, was sentenced to five years' penal servitude, and Albert Farrell, 49 Marino Green, Dublin, and Francis Sherwin, 59 Bargy road, East Wall, Dublin, were sentenced to two years' imprisonment at the Special Criminal Court for armed assault on Pierce C. O Broin at Stormanstown House, Glasnevin, on May 8, 1941.

Pierce O Broin, a National University student, of Stormanstown House, said that three men came to his house on the night of May 8, with revolvers. They held him up and searched the house, and bound and gagged him before they left. Patrick Boland, also of Stormanstown House, a Section Leader of the L.D.F., said that a small automatic pistol and some ammunition were taken from the house by the men.

Mr. O. Moriarty, K.C., instructed by Mr. J. A. Geary, Chief State Solicitor's Office, prosecuted.

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Thomas McAnaspie, 87 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, will be tried by the Court on March 6 next on charges of the possession of ammunition and incriminating documents.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

BOYD—February 21, 1942, at Hatch street Nursing Home, to Jenny, wife of Tom Boyd, 5 Cremore Drive, Glasnevin, a son.

DIGGES—February 18, 1942, at Bangalore, India, to Elizabeth, wife of Charles E. G. Digges, Imperial Bank of India, Bangalore, a son.

DUKES—February 19, 1942, at the Rotunda Hospital, to Molly, wife of Wm. G. Dukes, 136 Dunluce road, Clontarf, a son.

HAUGHTON—February 25, 1942, at Lichfield, Ballintemple, Cork, to Betty, wife of B. Alan Haughton, a daughter.

HILL—January 31, 1942, at Brighton place, Clonmel, to Grace, wife of Raymond Marshall Hill, Listowel, a son.

KELLY—February 19, 1942, at the Leinster Private Nursing Home, Dublin, to Stella, wife of John Kelly, "Sancian," Raheny, Dublin, a son.

LOWE—February 25, 1942, at Rotunda Hospital, to Patricia, wife of Ed. C. Lowe, a daughter.

McLOUGHLIN—February 22, 1942, at the Leinster Nursing Home, Dublin, to Lily, wife of Desmond McLoughlin, 6 Temple Villas, Palmerston road, a son.

MacMENAMIN—February 20, 1942, to Carmel, wife of Joseph MacMenamin, Readsland, Drumree, a daughter (Paula Mary Agnes).

O BRIAIN—February 24, 1942, at 17 Earlsfort terrace, to Anna, wife of Barra O Briain, a daughter.

RUSSELL—February 19, 1942, at Glenvera, Cork, to Louie, wife of Joseph Russell, Crown Park Villa, Montenotte, a son.

SMITH—February 22, 1942, at Drogheda Cottage Hospital, to Betty (*née* Todd), wife of Edward Moreland Smith, Blackrock, Co. Louth, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

FINEGAN and KEATING—January 14, 1942, at the Parish Church, Adare, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. John Houlihan, Abbeyfeale, Francis A. Finegan, National Bank, Listowel, to Mary J., daughter of the late Nicholas Keating, Richmond, Wexford, and Mrs. Crowley, Munster and Leinster Bank House, Abbeyfeale.

PAYNE and HARVEY—February 11, 1942, at Military road Church, Cork, by the Rev. Morley Thompson, Robert B. Payne, son of the late Charles and Mrs. Payne, Bandon, to Elizabeth (Betty) Harvey, daughter of the late William and Mrs. Harvey, Primitstown, Ashbourne, Co. Meath.

WALLACE and SMITH—February 12, 1942, at Kentstown Parish Church, by Rev. T. W. Benson, M.A., John Alexander Wallace, M.B., F.R.C.P.I., elder son of Dr. and Mrs. Wallace, of Roscrea, to Sarah Jane, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Beauparc.

WAUGH and RAINSBURY—February 17, 1942, at St. Mary's Shandon Church, Cork, by the Rev. C. A. B. Williams, Schull, assisted by the Rev. W. T. Pearson, Rector, Thomas Norman, 58 Leinster road, Rathmines, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Waugh, 2 Verdon place, Cork, to Edna Sporle, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rainsbury, Ringlee, Sunday's Well, Cork. No cards.

DEATHS.

BETTS—February 27, 1942, at the County Club, Galway, Jane, relict of Wm. F. Betts. Funeral from St. Nicholas Collegiate Church, 1 p.m., to-morrow (Sunday) to the New Cemetery.

BRENNAN—February 19, 1942, at his residence, "Sunnyside," Dunmore East, Dr. William J. Brennan. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Interment took place at Killea on Saturday, 21st instant.

BROWNE—February 25, 1942, at his residence, 21 Elgin road, Dublin, Maurice Browne. Requiescat in pace. Interment took place yesterday.

BUTTLE—February 27, 1942, at his residence, Chestnutt Lodge, Enniscorthy, Samuel, beloved husband of Lilian Buttle. "Severed till He come." Funeral tomorrow (Sunday), March 1, at 2 o'clock (S.T.), for St. Mary's Church, Enniscorthy, and afterwards for Camolin.

CAMPBELL—February 25, 1942, at 2 Brendan road, Donnybrook, Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Thomas Campbell, after a brief illness. Funeral private. No flowers.

CAREW—February 25, 1942, suddenly, in Dublin, Captain Thomas Carew, late Suez Canal Pilot Service, in his 85th year. English and Egyptian papers please copy.

COLE—February 24, 1942, on active service, Wing Commander Alexander Nelson Cole, aged 29, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cole, Finisklin, Sligo.

GILDEA—February 27, 1942, at Glasgow, Francis, late of Tubbercurry and Dublin, brother of Very Rev. Denis Gildea, P.P., Tubbercurry; Rev. John Gildea, M.A., Shrewsbury; Rev. Hugh Gildea, Liverpool; Sister Leo, Killala; and Pat Gildea, Quarryfield. Solemn Requiem Mass in Tubbercurry, Wednesday, March 4, at 12 o'clock.

HAMILTON—February 27, 1942, at the residence of her son-in-law, C. P. Woakes, 1 Highfield Park, Dundrum, Minnie Anne, widow of the late Charles Lambert Hamilton, and daughter of the late John Hodsman. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral and house strictly private. No flowers.

HASSETT—February 26, 1942, Thomas Hassett, of Tempeville, Ballinacurra, and 9 O'Connell street, Limerick, aged 92. Funeral to-day (Saturday) from Tempeville at 10 a.m. to St. Mary's Cathedral.

INGRAM—February 27, 1942, at his residence, 232 Howth road, Robert, beloved husband of Sara Ingram. Deeply regretted. Funeral and house private. "Peace, perfect peace."

LARACY—February 22, 1942, after brief illness, Ella Laracy, eldest daughter of the late Richard Laracy. Interred Rathdrum. "At rest."

NEVING—February 27, 1942, at her residence, Upper Main street, Arklow, Sarah, relict of the late John Neving. Deeply regretted by her loving children, brother, sister, and relatives. Funeral to New Cemetery to-morrow (Sunday) at 3 o'clock. "Peace, perfect peace."

PHILLIPSON—February 26, 1942, at 47 Albert road, Glenageary, Herbert F. Phillipson. Deeply regretted. R.I.P.

REDMOND—February 27, 1942, at his residence, 22 Wexford street, Pierce, husband of Ellen Redmond. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, family, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Remains will be removed at 5.30 this day (Saturday) to Carmelite Church, Aungier street. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, on Monday morning to Dean's Grange Cemetery. No flowers, prayers instead.

SIMPSON—February 27, 1942, at 65 Merrion road, Mary Louisa, younger daughter of the late G. W. Simpson, Galway. Funeral private. No flowers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Dominic More O'Ferrall and Mr. Roderick More O'Ferrall express their very grateful thanks for the numerous letters and telegrams received after their recent bereavement, which they will acknowledge personally later.

LEWIS—The brothers and sisters of the late Robert Lewis, 175 Merrion road, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

BELL—In loving remembrance of our father and mother, John and Annie Bell, called Home January 6, 1941, and February 28, 1932.

CURTIS—In loving memory of my dear father and mother, Thomas Hewson and Margaret Curtis, called Home 6th January, 1926, and 28th February, 1940. "Till He come."

KAY—In ever-loving memory of dear George.

McCOBB—Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on the soul of Ellen, dearly-loved mother of Rose McCobb, died 28th February, 1932. Deservedly mourned. R.I.P.

TANNER—In cherished memory of our dearly-loved mother, Susan Tanner, whom God called Home 29th February, 1940.
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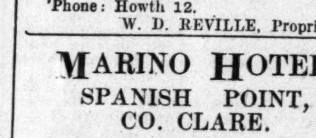
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WANTED, superior COOK HOUSEKEEPER, Killiney; house parlourmaid kept; 3 in family, 2 elderly, daughter not strong; knowledge invalid cookery, some housework; recommendation by lady essential; interview arranged if suitable; please send copies papers. Box "Z 3869, Cook." 26 F

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WANTED, experienced young GENERAL; wages £26; Dun Laoghaire district. 'Phone 83515 for appointment.

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WANTED for Ballybrack, Superior GENERAL, good cook, small family; daily house parlourmaid kept; 'bus route. Box "Z 3893, General."

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WANTED, NANNIE for child 20 months; also GENERAL SERVANT; good wages; fares paid, Essex. Apply, with copies of references, Thorp, Kilgreaney, Bagenalstown.

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WANTED by Firm of Builders, Spindle Moulding Machine; must be first class condition; large type preferred. Box F 104.

WANTED, 9" to 12" Mill Saw Files; 6" Band Saw Taper; Crosscut Files; state quantities and price.—Castle MacGarrett Industries, Claremorris. 24 B

WINDMILL Pumps for deep or shallow wells, complete with 30ft. galvanised tower; no fuel or maintenance worries; delivery from stock.—T. Lenehan and Co., 124/5 Capel street, Dublin. 27 E

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HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AUCTION next Tuesday by Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder, at MacArthur House, D'Olier street, will include:— 25 F

AUCTION—in Lots—Two storey House and Shop, with Dwellinghouse, 149, 151, 153, 157, 159, 161, 165, 167 Inchicore road, alongside Grattan Crescent. Income over £312. 25 F

AUCTION—Income over £90, from City Houses, 124, 125 Pearse street, facing Queen's square. 25 F

AUCTION—Freehold, part possession, 54 Arbour Hill, Manor street, large corner Dwellinghouse, 12 apartments, estimated income over £150. 25 F

AUCTION—Low reserve, next; vacant House, 15 Blarney Park, alongside Sundrive Cinema; 5 apartments, bathroom. 25 F

AUCTION—28 Mountjoy street, red brick House, alongside Blessington street, 1d. fare; 6 apartments. 25 F

AUCTION—7 Herberton Park, South Circular road, at Rialto 'bus halt, attractive and labour-saving House, excellent repair. 25 F

AUCTION—Re Ennis, Deceased—27 Upper Rutland street, producing £88. Selling at low reserve. 25 F

AUCTION — Further particulars, call MacArthur House, D'Olier street. 'Phones 76754/5 25 F

AT Glenageary—Detached Residence, 3 acres, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms; £2,200.—Boag, Blackrock (over Monument Creamery). 25 F

AT Fortfield Grove, Terenure—Two semi-detached, six-roomed Houses; low outgoings, remission of rates. Particulars—A. Sellars, 8 Garville avenue, Rathgar. 19 X

AT Blackrock—Detached House, labour saving; facing South; 8 principal rooms, garage; secluded position; £1,700.—Allen, Townsend, 11 Stephen's Green. 26 F

A FEW well-built, labour-saving Houses, with low P.L.V. and ground rents, at Mount Merrion Park. Particulars, Irish Homes, Ltd., 41 Stephen's Green, Dublin. 19 X

AT Ballsbridge—Semi detached, modern, four bedroomed House; conservatory, garage, panelled hall.—McLaughlin and Co., 3 Grafton street.

A COMPACT, non-basement Residence, 82 acres nicely timbered woodlands, pleasure grounds, tennis court, large garden, fully stocked orchard, out-offices, hot and cold water, electric light, fee simple, for Sale, West Ireland. Apply Box "Z 3874, Residence." 26 C

ATTRACTIVE modern Houses—Terenure £825, Ballsbridge £900, Glenageary £1,100, etc.—C. Stephenson, House and Estate Agent, 74 Grafton street.

AT Sea Coast—Megahey, Sandycove, has big list Detached Houses and Bungalows for Sale from £800. 27 A

AVAILABLE for immediate occupation—Modernised, beautifully decorated Residence in Sandycove, convenient to trams, buses, trains; 9 living rooms, 2 bathrooms, fitted kitchen, garage, etc.; £1,800. Box F 81.

AT Leixlip—Non-basement House, 12 acres; £1,350; lease for ever; £36. Box E 1819.

ATTRACTIVE modern Residence, Rathfarnham Park, Terenure; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, walled gardens, garage. Seen by appointment with Sole Agents, Garvey and Good, 20 Lincoln Place. 'Phone, 62468.

AT Ballsbridge—Beautiful, detached House, in own grounds; non-basement; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms; perfect order; for immediate Sale.—Browne and Dowse, 2 Dawson street.

BLACKROCK—On sea front, convenient to shops, railway and bus; ideal family or professional Residence; a bargain investment at £700.—Hazley and Co., Blackrock. 25 F

BEAUTIFULLY situated on 1½ acres at Killiney—Non-basement; 3 reception, 3 bedrooms and maid's; conservatory, garage.—McLaughlin and Co., 3 Grafton street.

BALLSBRIDGE—House, let in flats, £200, nett outgoings £60, price £1,800; another showing £400 nett, price £3,775.—"Ideal House Agency" (Sole Agents), 6 Nassau street.

BRAY—Attractive Bungalow, on ½ acre; reasonable price for quick Sale.—Garvey and Good, Lincoln Place.

BALLSBRIDGE — Semi-detached, modern House, 4 bedrooms, etc.; garage; £1,050. Corporation Loan available.—Adhouse, 2 Burgh quay.

COUNTY Louth—100 Acre Farm, prime land, buildings and out-offices; Fee Simple; convenient to principal towns.—Joseph H Dixon Solicitor, 15 Parnell square, Dublin.

COUNTY Wexford—200 Acre Freehold Estate, beautifully situated gentleman's residence, first class out-offices, with engine rooms, well watered and timbered; would suit community.—Joseph H. Dixon, Solicitor, 15 Parnell square, Dublin.

CLYDE Road—Family Residence, 9 apartments, good condition, freehold, £1,700. Wilfield Park—Attractive Detached Modern House, 8 apartments, garage, gardens, £1,500.—Maguire, 45 Molesworth street.

CLONTARF, detached, 5 bedrooms, 3 reception, large gardens, £1,850; Clonskeagh, modern, 4 bedrooms, 2 reception, garage, £1,150; another, 3 bedrooms, 2 reception, £875; Ballsbridge, 6 rooms, gardens, £1,050; Vernon avenue, 6 rooms, gardens, garage, £1,100; many others.—"Ideal House Agency," 6 Nassau street.

DUN LAOGHAIRE—Large House, 9 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, 3 lavatories, garage; long lease; best letting position; a bargain at £500. Box F 68. 26 F

DUN LAOGHAIRE—For Sale, detached Residence, on 6 acres; free of rent for ever; 3 reception and 5 bedrooms; extensive sheds and out-offices; all in perfect order; on 'bus route. Box F 69. 26 F

DARTRY—Magnificent Residence, corner position; 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, secluded gardens, garage; in first class order; freehold.—Hamilton and Hamilton, 17 Dawson street. 27 X

DETACHED Residence, Dundrum; 4 bedrooms, 2 reception, bath, h. and c., immersion heater; £1,200. Key, Garvey and Good, Lincoln Place.

ELMVILLE, Kilmacud road, Dundrum; one minute from 'bus stop; 6 apartments, bath, e.l. and gas.; 30/- weekly, or Sell £595. Seen Saturday or Sunday, 3 to 6 o'clock.

FOR Sale, 15 Greenville road, Stradbrook road, Blackrock, detached, on over 1 acre; 5 bedrooms, 3 reception. Apply Joseph Flynn, 28 The Stiles road, Clontarf. Telephone 35424. 24 F

GLENAGEARY — Double fronted, non-basement semi-detached, red brick House, containing 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, pantries, bathroom, separate lavatory; newly decorated; ground rent £4 10/-; long lease; price £1,350, or Let at £120. Box F 70. 26 F

GREYSTONES, "St. David's"—Singularly attractive, detached, non-basement Residence, delightfully situated on Marine road. Sale by Auction, Tuesday next, 12 o'clock, on Premises, to be followed by entire valuable Furniture and Fine Art Property. On view to-day and Monday next.—James Adam and Sons, 17 Merrion row.

GLENAGEARY—Attractive, detached, non-basement Residence, in first-class condition, on one acre, with well-stocked garden, fruit trees and greenhouse; 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, with cupboards, etc.; in open, sunny position, convenient to 'buses and trains; lease 999 years; ground rent £10, valuation £40; price £2,200; seen by appointment. Box F 79.

GALWAY—Lovely, detached, substantially built, well laid out, two-storey, double fronted House, offered in fee-simple at £1,650. Comprises on ground floor—dining-room, drawingroom, kitchen, scullery, pantry and maid's room. Upstairs there are four spacious bedrooms, bathroom and toilet. Three outhouses, splendid garage, garden back and front. Very beautiful and select situation, convenient from all angles; only half a mile from centre of city. Immediate possession. Box "Z 3885, House." 27 F

GROUND Rent, £600 fee-simple Rent, good modern Property; 22 collections; 18 years' purchase.—Adhouse, 2 Burgh quay. 27 B

HILL of Howth—Charming, non-basement Residence, detached; delightful pleasure grounds and gardens, 8 acres; panoramic views across harbour to Ireland's Eye; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 maids', cloakroom, 4 w.c.s; thorough repair, all amenities, central heating, electric light, power, Aga cooker, outoffices, garage, 2 cars; moderate price, or would Let Furnished.—James Adam and Sons, Sole Agents, 17 Merrion row.

INVESTMENT—Newly built Factory Premises for Sale; well let to first class tenants; will be sold to give a gross profit of 16 per cent. Apply Vincent and Beatty, 63 Dame st.

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"STRANDED IN DUBLIN"

BROTHERS ON FALSE PRETENCES CHARGE

Before District Justice Burke, in the Dublin District Court, Patrick, John and Thomas Grace, aged 23, 22 and 21 respectively, sons of school teachers, and natives of Glenamaddy, County Galway, were bound to the peace for twelve months on charges, to which they pleaded guilty, of obtaining sums of money totalling £8 by false pretences. They admitted in statements made to the police of having sent telegrams in the names of people whom they knew to be in England to those people's relatives in the country, falsely representing that they were stranded in Dublin and needed money. In each case money was telegraphed back and the defendants cashed the orders.

R.D.S. Bull Show and Sale.—Five hundred and sixty-six bulls are catalogued for the Royal Dublin Society's show and sale, which opens at Ballsbridge, Dublin, on Tuesday next, 3rd March.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE
Matinee To-day, 2.30. To-night, 7.30.
HANSEL and GRETEL
NOW BOOKING—NEXT WEEK.
6.30 — ONCE NIGHTLY — 6.30
Hilton Edwards-Micheal MacLiammoir present EUGENE O'NEILL'S DRAMA IN 3 PARTS.
MOURNING BECOMES ELECTRA,
With Micheal MacLiammoir, Meriel Moore, Coralie Carmichael.
As this Production consists of 3 Plays, the Curtain will rise at 6.30. Light Refreshments will be available during Interval.
Booking Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

OLYMPIA AT 8.
DEFINITELY LAST WEEK,
THE GREAT BENYON
IN
BAM-BOO-ZALEM NO. 4.
COMPLETE CHANGE OF SHOW.
Book early and avoid Disappointment.

ABBEY THEATRE.
At 8 p.m. "THE PLOUGH AND THE STARS." By Sean O'Casey. Retained for Fifth Week.
Box Office, 10.30 to 6. 'Phone 44505.
Abbey Theatre Play Competition.
The Directors offer a Prize of £50 for the best play in English by an Irish author. Plays by dramatists whose work has already appeared in the Abbey are not eligible. Particulars from Secretary, Abbey Theatre, Dublin.

GATE LONGFORD PRODUCTIONS.
To-day at 2.30 and 8 p.m. (Exactly), "ASMODEE," By Francois Mauriac.
Tuesday: "TWELFTH NIGHT."

METROPOLE 2.30, 5.30, 8.30.
JOAN FONTAINE, LAURENCE OLIVIER in "REBECCA."
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 3.30 and 8 o'c. BARBARA STANWYCK, JOEL McCREA. "THE GREAT MAN'S LADY."

METROPOLE BALLROOM.
AFTERNOON TEA DANCE.
(Including Tea) 2/6
EVERY SATURDAY, 4 to 6 o'c.
METROPOLE FAMOUS BAND.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire. At 3.0, 6.4, 8.50.
DOROTHY LAMOUR, JON HALL, in "THE HURRICANE."
Also "CAUGHT IN THE ACT."
SUN.: BING CROSBY, GLORIA JEAN, in "IF I HAD MY WAY."
Also MISCHA AUER in "MARGIE."

CORINTHIAN
TO-MORROW, 3.30 and 8.0. Book Now.
CARY GRANT— JOAN FONTAINE, "SUSPICION."
THE MOST SUSPENSEFUL AND EXCITING DRAMA OF THIS SEASON.

CARLTON Showing at 2.10, 4.30, 6.35, 8.55.
ROBERT MONTGOMERY, IRENE DUNNE & PRESTON FOSTER in "UNFINISHED BUSINESS."
What every woman knows—but won't tell! Stage: ISIDORE SHLAEN, at 4 and 8.20.
Book Now for Sunday Night.

GRAFTON Continuous 2 to 10.30. 2.45, 4.55, 7.5, 9.15
First Presentation in Eire of "THE DOMINANT SEX."
Screen Version of Michael Egan's Famous Play.

THEATRE DE LUXE
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY). Book Now. FRANCOT TONE and JOHN CARROLL in "THIS WOMAN IS MINE."
Also "LAW OF THE RANGE."

GREEN 3.15, 6.0, 8.40. Miliza Korjus, Luise Rainer, "THE GREAT WALTZ." The Music of Johann Strauss.

MUSICAL ART SOCIETY, DUBLIN.
(TWO CONCLUDING CONCERTS OF THIS SEASON.)
TUESDAY, MARCH 10th, at 8 p.m., ABERDEEN HALL.
SYMPHONY CONCERT.
Conductor: Ferruccio Grossi.
Soloists: Evelyn Nesbitt, Soprano; Marie Lillis Condron, Violin.
Programme—Beethoven: Symphony No. 2 in D; Overture to Prometheus; Mozart: Overture to Figaro, and works by Purcell, Massenet, van Westerhout, etc.
TUESDAY, MARCH 24th, at 8 p.m., METROPOLITAN HALL.
SPECIAL BICENTENARY
HANDEL CONCERT.
Programme:
1. Occasional Overture .... Handel. Full Orchestra.
2. Oboe Sonata in G ...... Handel-Grossi. Soloist: Hugh O'Doherty, with String Orchestra.
3. Suite from the Water Music, Handel-Harty. Full Orchestra.
Conductor: Ferruccio Grossi.
Leader: Constance Harding.
4. Cantata: "Acis and Galatea" ... Handel. Full Choir and Orchestra.
Guest Conductor: Mr. T. H. Weaving, F.R.I.A.M. Leader of the Orchestra: Ferruccio Grossi. Soloists: Renée Flynn, Robert McCullagh, William Watt, Michael O'Higgins.
Tickets: 1/6 to 5/-, from GILL'S, Nassau street.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY,
Tuesday Next, at 4 p.m., H. J. Schonfield: "THE SUEZ CANAL."
Friday Next, at 8.15 p.m., H. D. Thornton, B.Sc.: "THE HISTORY OF THE DUBLIN WATER SUPPLY."

AVOCA HANDWEAVERS.
SPRING SALE,
AT MESSRS. FULLERS (Upstairs), 84 GRAFTON STREET,
BEGINNING NEXT MONDAY, MARCH 2nd, TO SATURDAY, 7th MARCH.
Daily, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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MRS. J. A. BOND (of Southport) invites Ladies to FREE LECTURE AND DEMONSTRATION on Spring Models and how to make them in HIBERNIAN HOTEL, DAWSON STREET, THURSDAY NEXT (5th March), at 3 and 7.30 p.m.
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SOUTH IRISH HORSE SUPPER DANCE,
METROPOLE,
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Tickets 8/6

DUBLIN BATTALION, GIRLS' BRIGADE.
ANNUAL DEMONSTRATION in the OLYMPIA THEATRE, DAME STREET, on TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 28th February, AT 2.45 P.M.

ROYAL Film at 2.15, 6.52, 9.9. Show at 4.2, 7.39.
JOAN FONTAINE, CARY GRANT, in "SUSPICION." Also "Out of the Bottle." Seventh Edition.
SUNDAY—Book Now for 8 o'c. Show, Personal Appearance, One Week Only,
JIMMY O'DEA
And a Host of Stars in "Out of the Bottle." Eighth Edition.
JUDY CANOVA, FRANCIS LEDERER, "JUDY GOES TO TOWN."

REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. Book for Sunday Night.
A Screen-load of Hilarity!
DEANNA DURBIN, CHARLES LAUGHTON, ROBERT CUMMINGS, in "IT STARTED WITH EVE."
at 2.20, 4.30, 6.45, 9.0.

SAVOY BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT!
A. J. CRONIN'S IMMORTAL STORY! Emlyn WILLIAMS, Robert NEWTON, Deborah KERR, star of "Love on the Dole," in "HATTER'S CASTLE."
At 2 o'c., 4.15, 6.30, 8.45.

ADELPHI At 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30.
A HILARIOUS COMEDY.
WILL HAY in "BLACK SHEEP OF WHITEHALL," And RALPH BELLAMY, MARGARET LINDSAY, in "THE PERFECT CRIME."
Showing at 3.15, 5.45, 8.15.
BOOK NOW FOR 8 p.m. SUNDAY.

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DEBORAH KERR—CLIFFORD EVANS "LOVE ON THE DOLE."
"Enjoyment Insurance." —"Irish Times."
At 2.20, 4.35, 6.45, 9.0.

CAPITOL To-day at 3.5, 5.15, 7.25, 9.35.
PAUL KELLY and LOLA LANE in "MYSTERY SHIP."
Kay Harris in "TILLIE THE TOILER."
Dine in The Hall Café or Oak Lounge.

PAVILION Dun Laoghaire. At 3.35, 6.5, 8.35.
ANN SOTHERN, ELEANOR POWELL, LIONEL BARRYMORE, ROBERT YOUNG in "LADY BE GOOD."
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY): JOHN PAYNE, JANE WYMAN, in "KID NIGHTINGALE."
Also "BOSS OF BULLION CITY."
Monday: Return visit of "Love on the Dole."

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
RAY MILLAND, WAYNE MORRIS, BRIAN DONLEVY, in "I WANTED WINGS."
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY): "BOLERO."
Also "MEN OF TIMBERLAND."

QUEENS—Show at 4.12, 7.30. Film 3, 6.15, 9.30. Harry Bailey in New Comedy Show, "MARCH HARES." John Lynskey—Eileen Murnaghan. Screen—Lloyd Nolan, "DRESSED TO KILL."

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY
SHOW & SALE
OF
566 BULLS
AT BALLSBRIDGE, DUBLIN.
SHORTHORNS & DAIRY SHORTHORNS
TUESDAY, MARCH 3rd.
9.30 a.m.—Adjudications.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4th.
10. 0 a.m.—Auction Sales.
HEREFORDS & ABERDEEN-ANGUS
TUESDAY, MARCH 10th.
9.30 a.m.—Adjudications.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11th.
10. 0 a.m.—Auction Sale of Herefords.
2.30 p.m.—Auction Sale of Aberdeen-Angus.
Auctioneer: Gavin Low, Ltd., 50 Prussia street, Dublin.
Catalogues (admitting to the Show and Sale) 2/6, post free. Apply Royal Dublin Society, Ballsbridge, Dublin.

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oscailt oifiġeamail, dia luain, 2-3-1942.
8. 0 p.m.—Ópáid na Feire. An Seabac.
8.45 p.m.—Cláirceol (Ceatair-páirteac), Craobaca Connrad na Gaeḋilge.
9.30 p.m.—Comórtar Ceatarḋo von Píb-Uilleann.
Dul Irteac 1/-
Ticéid Ráite 3/6

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY NEXT,
MARCH 4th and 5th,
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES ACTS, 1890-1931,
And
HOUSING (FINANCIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1932.
COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
WHEREAS in pursuance of Section 5 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Acts, 1931, the Corporation of Dublin have made and submitted to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, for confirmation by him, the Compulsory Purchase Order entitled the Newfoundland Street Area Section No. 2 Compulsory Purchase Order, 1941, authorising the Corporation to purchase compulsorily the lands described in the schedule to the said Order for the purposes of Part II. of the Housing of the Working Classes Acts, 1890:
AND WHEREAS objections to the said Order have been made by persons upon whom notices were served in relation thereto:
NOW, THEREFORE, the Minister for Local Government and Public Health hereby gives notice that he has instructed his Inspector, Eamonn O Máille, B.E., Assistant Chief Engineering Inspector, to hold a public inquiry as to the propriety of confirming the said Order, with or without modification, and to report to him thereon; and the said Eamonn O Máille will attend at the City Hall, Dublin, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of March, 1942, at the hour of 11.30 o'clock a.m., to make inquiry accordingly.
By Order of the Minister.
J. HURSON, Rúnaí.
Department of Local Government and Public Health, Custom House, Dublin.
N 2067. W.H.Co.

WARBLE FLY (TREATMENT OF CATTLE) ORDERS, 1936 AND 1939.
The Minister for Agriculture desires to remind stockowners that the treatment period under the above-mentioned Orders commences on the 1st March. Any cattle visibly infested with the larvae of the Warble Fly must be dressed between the 1st and 7th days of each of the months of March, April, May, June and July with a cattle wash approved by the Minister.
Cattle dealers and exporters, as well as farmers and other stockowners, are liable to prosecution by the Minister and to penalties under the Diseases of Animals Acts if they are found to be in possession or in charge, at any place in this country, of cattle which are visibly infested with warbles and have not been dressed as required by the Orders.
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture, 23rd February, 1942.
N. 2187. W.H.Co.

CONTRACTS.

DUBLIN BOARD OF ASSISTANCE.
GENERAL SUPPLIES AND SERVICES.
The Dublin Board of Assistance, at its Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 11th March, 1942, will consider Tenders for the following supplies and services to its Hospitals, Homes, Auxiliaries and Dispensaries, as ordered from the 1st April, 1942, to the 31st March, 1943, or for such shorter periods as Contractors may indicate. Tenders are also invited for immediate delivery of such quantities of the non-perishable commodities required as Contractors may have in stock.
Printing and Stationery, Beef (Carcases), Live Cattle, Yeast, Building Materials, Chandlery, Clothing Materials, Disinfectants, Groceries and Stimulants, Ironmongery, Ironwork, Flour, Meal, Provisions, Rice Flour, Lime, Gravel and Sand, Plumbing and Gas Fittings, Saddlery, Leather, Shoefindings, Tinware, Hay, Straw and Oats, Upholstering Materials, Clockwinding and Repairs, Glass and Glazing.
Medicines (other than those on the Local Government Department's Prescribed List, 1942/1943). Tenderers to quote discount off maker's catalogue prices.
Shoeing of Horses and Donkeys. Tenderers to quote per animal per month.
X-Ray and Deep Therapy Apparatus. Care of this Apparatus and Replacement of all defective parts.
Motor Hire—Conveying Chaplain, day or night, between the Presbytery, Whitefriar street, and James's street, Dublin. Tenderers to quote amount per hour from the time of arrival at the Presbytery. No allowance for journey from Garage to Presbytery or from Presbytery to Garage.
Prices quoted must be net, and shall include all Customs, Excise and Emergency Duties in force on the date of the Tender.
Preference will be given to goods manufactured in Ireland.
The goods supplied must be equal to the samples, which should be inspected at the Stores Department, James's street, Dublin.
Tenders are also invited for the PURCHASE of Cast Clothing, Old Stores, Fine Fats and Offals.
Tender Forms and all information concerning Contracts can be had at the Office of the Resident Medical Superintendent, 1 James's street, Dublin.
Sealed Tenders, which will be opened at the Meeting above mentioned, must be lodged with me here not later than 10.30 o'clock a.m. on that day.
Tender Forms altered by Contractors will not be accepted.
The Board does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender, and the accepted Contractors may be required to enter into a Bond for the due performance of the Contract, the Conditions of which will include the Public Works Contracts War Clause providing for price variations.
The Conditions here stated are part of the Conditions of Contract.
By Order,
JAMES E. S. CONDON, Clerk of the Union.
Clerk's Office, Boardroom, 1 James's street, Dublin.
27th February, 1942.

COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE BHAILE ATHA CLIATH.
(County Dublin County Council.)
ROAD WORKS CONTRACTS 1942-1943.
Persons willing to enter into Contracts for Works on Roads in the County of Dublin are invited by the County Council to submit Tenders for the under-mentioned works:—
RATHCOOLE GROUP.
198. Crawdle-Redgap Road.
199. Calliaghstown Road.
200. Lynch Park Road.
202. Slademore Road.
203. Crooksling Road.
205A. Carrageen Lane.
221A. Mount Seskin-Brittas.
221B. Lisheen to Talbotstown.
221C. Crooksling.
Particulars and Specifications of these works are obtainable during office hours on application to the undersigned.
Tender Forms, and a List of Conditions on which Tenders will be received, may be obtained free of charge on application to the Acting County Secretary at the Council's offices. The latest time for receiving Tenders is 12 o'clock noon on MONDAY, the 16th MARCH, 1942.
(Signed) FRANCIS A. MAGUIRE, Acting County Secretary.
Offices: 11 Parnell Square, Dublin.
Date: 28th February, 1942.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.		
Morning	11. 4	11.42
Evening	11.28	—

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MALE ORPHANAGE, GLASNEVIN.
Established under the Patronage of His Late Eminence Cardinal Cullen in 1855.
THE ANNUAL SERMON
On behalf of the above Charitable Institution, Will be Preached on
SUNDAY, 8th MARCH, 1942,
After the First Gospel of the Twelve O'clock Mass, in the
CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, UPPER GARDINER STREET,
By the
REV. MICHAEL QUINLAN, S.J.
2,246 Orphans have been admitted since its Establishment.
Donations will be received by His Grace Most Rev. Dr. McQuaid, Archbishop of Dublin; by the Rev. Preacher; the Jesuit Fathers, and the Clergy of the Dublin Diocese; also by the President of the Superior Council of Ireland, Rev. Superior of the Orphanage, and
PATRICK J. RAFTERY, President;
JOHN MONKS, Vice-President;
E. P. McCARRON, Hon. Treasurer;
P. J. WARD, Hon. Secretary of Orphanage Committee.

JERVIS STREET HOSPITAL, DUBLIN.
A meeting of the Management Committee was held on Monday, the 23rd inst., Mr. Peter McCarthy, P.C., in the chair. The following members were present:—Messrs. H. Briscoe, D. Chance, S. J. Keogh, J. McGrath, H. B. O'Hanlon, W. Ryan, and Senator Foran. Councillor Cahill (representing the Dublin Corporation) and Dr. McArdle were in attendance.
Apologies were received from Father Boylan, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Reynolds.
The Management Committee gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions received through the Sisters of Mercy during January:—

Collins, Kevin M.	£2	2	0
Dublin Jewish Hospital Aid Society	5	0	0
FitzGerald, Dr. P. A.	2	2	0
Hibernian Bank, Ltd.	2	2	0
Kenny, J. A.	2	2	0
Leonard, P.	3	3	0
Mayne's, Miss, Collection	1	0	0
O'Neill, T.	2	2	0
Southalls, Ltd.	2	2	0
Thompson, Frederick G.	2	2	0
Turbett, R. E., and Sons	2	2	0
Williams and Woods, Ltd.	2	2	0
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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, DUBLIN,
ANNOUNCES A
FREE LECTURE
ON
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE,
Entitled
"CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: ITS CALL TO FREEDOM."
By ERIC W. CARR, C.S.B. (of London, England).
Member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts,
IN THE CHURCH EDIFICE, LOWER BAGGOT STREET, DUBLIN,
TUESDAY, 3rd MARCH, 1942,
At 8 p.m.
The Public is cordially invited to attend. Doors Open at 7.30 p.m. No Tickets required.

THE MISSION TO LEPERS (IRELAND).
PUBLIC MEETINGS
WILL BE HELD (D.V.) IN THE H.C.M.S. HALL, 35 MOLESWORTH STREET,
on FRIDAY NEXT, 6th MAR.
ANNUAL MEETING: 3.30 p.m.
Chairman: His Grace the Lord Archbishop of Dublin.
Speakers: Mrs. Bird (Chekiang), Miss Forsythe (C. Tanganyika)).
(Tea After meeting, 6d.).
EVENING MEETING: 8 p.m.
Chairman: The Very Rev. R. K. Hanna, D.D.
Speaker: Miss Forsythe.

A PORTRAIT
Of
LEONARD KIDD, M.D. (T.C.D.), D.L.,
Who recently retired from the post of Medical Officer to Portora, which post he had held for upwards of forty years, Will be unveiled in the
DINING HALL AT PORTORA,
On
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4th, at 3.30 p.m.,
By
THE RIGHT REV. THE LORD BISHOP OF CLOGHER.
It is hoped that a large number of friends and admirers of Doctor Kidd will be present.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION.
MONDAY NEXT, at 8 p.m.
Lantern Lecture: "Canoeing and Ireland," Liam Manning, Esq.
THURSDAY, 5th MARCH.
Literary Society at 8 p.m.
Debate: "That Bureaucracy is more harmful to a State than Laissez-Faire."
Affirmative—H. D. Porter, Esq., B.L.
Negative—E. K. Eason, Esq., B.A.

TO Caterers—The Turf Development Board, Limited, invites Tenders for Catering to approximately 3,000 men to be employed on Turf Production in County Kildare, and 300 men at Glencree, Co. Wicklow. The men will be accommodated in several Camps, which will have accommodation for from 250-500. Tenders will be considered for catering for separate Camps. Completed Tender forms must be submitted before March 23rd, 1942. Forms of Tender and all particulars may be had on application to: The Secretary, Turf Development Board, Ltd., 21 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings.—17.
EIRE.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
JAMES BYRNE, formerly trading at 92 Terenure road, East, in the County of the City of Dublin, and now of No. 39 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar, in the County of the City of Dublin, Merchant, was on the 23rd day of February, 1942, adjudged Bankrupt.
PUBLIC SITTINGS will be held before the Court at the Law Courts, Inn's quay, Dublin, on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1942, and on Friday, the 27th day of March, 1942, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his Estate and Effects. Creditors may prove their Debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination.
All persons having in their possession any Property of the Bankrupt should deliver it and all Debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid to James J. Doyle, Official Assignee, Law Courts, Dublin, to whom Creditors may forward their Affidavits of Debt.
W. A. T. COBBE, Court and Deputy Registrar.
CHARLES B. W. BOYLE, Solicitor, 68 Middle Abbey street, Dublin.

CONTRACTS.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
TENDERS FOR PROVISIONS.—Tenders are invited for the Supply of Provisions, Bread, Meat, Fish and Chickens to Crooksling Sanatorium, Brittas, Co. Dublin: to the Tuberculosis Hospital, Pigeon House road; to Clonskeagh Fever Hospital, and to No. 8 Connaught place, Clonskeagh; and also for the Supply of Milk to the three last mentioned premises, for the Six Months commencing 1st April, 1942.
TENDERS FOR DIPHTHERIA ANTI-TOXIN.—Tenders are invited for a Supply of Diphtheria Anti-Toxin for Vergemount Fever Hospital, Clonskeagh.
Tender Forms are obtainable at the Public Health Department, 16 Castle street, Dublin.
Tenders, enclosed in sealed envelopes and appropriately marked, must be delivered as directed not later than 12 o'clock noon on Friday, 13th March, 1942.
P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 28th February, 1942. K.A.A.

BOROUGH OF WEXFORD.
A.R.P. DEPARTMENT.
NOTICE TO HARDWARE MERCHANTS & BUILDERS' PROVIDERS.
The Wexford Corporation invite tenders for the supply of Equipment for Rescue Dépôts and Rescue and Clearance Squads in accordance with a Schedule to be obtained from the undersigned, to whom tenders should be sent not later than 5.0 p.m. on Friday, 13th March, 1942.
JOHN J. BYRNE, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Wexford, 24th February, 1942.

CHURCH NOTICES.

CHARLESTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.
COME-TO-CHURCH SUNDAY.
11.30—Rev. J. BRAZIER GREEN, M.A. (Glasgow). 7—Rev. R. LEE COLE.
Special Collections for Circuit Funds.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.
SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT.
11.30 a.m., REV. D. R. C. HILLIARD, B.A. (Missions to Seamen).
7 p.m., "Which is the True Church?" Preacher, REV. W. C. G. PROCTOR, B.D.

THE SUN.	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	8.17	8.15
Sets	7. 0	7. 2
Lighting-up Time	7.30	7.32

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	5.11	5.33
Cork	4.48	5.13
Cobh	4.45	5.10
Drogheda	10.52	11.16
Dundalk	10.49	11.13
Galway	4.28	4.50
Kinsale	4.31	4.56
Limerick	5.58	6.20
Sligo	5.11	5.36
Waterford	5.46	6.11
Westport	4.41	5.13

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1942

The Coming Clash

Winter conditions continue to hamper military operations in Russia, and at least another six weeks must pass before campaigning can be resumed on a grand scale. In the meantime the Russians seem to be retaining the initiative which they snatched from the Germans at the beginning of the winter months. The Soviet High Command is exerting pressure along the entire front from the Baltic to the Black Sea, and, although progress necessarily is slow, it is sufficiently steady to keep the Germans constantly on the *qui vive*. The Russian generals are pursuing a clever policy. Operating on interior lines of communication, they have been able during the last few months to switch their offensive about from point to point, following the example of Ludendorff during the last war, in such a way as to keep their opponents guessing all the time. Their most recent successes are reported from the northern sector of the front, about midway between Leningrad and the central sector. Here, at one point, the Russians claim to have advanced to within eighty miles of the Latvian border. Their immediate object, of course, is to relieve the German pressure on Leningrad, which, in spite of everything, remains a thorn in the flesh of the Soviet's High Command; and it is quite possible that before the thaws set in a determined attempt will be made to raise the siege. The Russians are hammering away steadily in the regions of Vyazma and Smolensk. They claim to have annihilated a number of German units within the last few days, and the German reports, while they admit no reverses, speak of continuous and obstinate fighting. Farther south, in the Donetz area, heavy fighting also is in progress. General Schwedler's army group is being attacked fiercely by the Russians, who have brought up fresh reserves. Casualties on both sides are said to be heavy; and there is no doubt that the Germans, as well as the Russians, realise to the full the ultimate importance of these operations. There is little, if anything, to choose between the fighting qualities of the two opposing armies. The Germans have the advantage of a superior organisation; but, as Dr. Goebbels admitted some little time ago, the Russians, at the moment, have larger numbers, more material, and at least equality in the air.

In these circumstances, the problem of the forthcoming spring offensive becomes more and more difficult—for both High Commands. When the war against Russia began there was a widespread belief that the Germans would have an inestimable advantage in the quality of their military leadership, which already had proved its superiority over all its other opponents. It was felt that the various "purges," which had got rid of generals such as Tuchachevsky and many others, must have weakened the Russian High Command, and, above all, that the system whereby political Commissars were empowered to interfere in purely military matters would interfere seriously, if not decisively, with the Russian war effort. In the event, these prognostications were proved to be wholly wrong. In Marshal Timoshenko the Russian Army has thrown up a military leader who has little, if anything, to learn from any of the orthodox Staff Colleges. It is true that Marshal Budenny was a failure when he was required to handle huge bodies of men; but, on the whole, the Russian generals, nearly all of whom, like Napoleon's marshals, are young men, have shown already that they are at least adequate to the tasks that have been imposed on them. At the moment the Russians seem to be doing everything in their power to keep the Germans on the move so that they will not be able to gain a breathing-space during which to reorganise their forces for the coming offensive. To what extent this policy will be effective remains to be seen. Much will depend on the quantity of war material that will be at Russia's disposal after the thaws. Evidently, the Germans realise the importance to their opponents of supplies—especially of tanks and aircraft—from Great Britain and the United States; and naval opinion is almost unanimous in its belief that the removal of the Gneisenau and Scharnhorst from Brest to a German base was intended primarily to strike at Russia's economic "lifeline" from America and England to Archangel. Be that as it may, the coming struggle, which may decide the fate of the war, will be of titanic proportions. Monsieur Litvinoff, the Russian Ambassador in Washington, has been arguing the case for the establishment of a second front on the continent of Europe in order to compel the Germans to divide their forces; but he has undertaken that the Russians will fight to the last man in any case. The whole situation is complicated seriously by the presence of Japan among the belligerents; but we are convinced, as we always have been convinced, that the issue of the war will be decided not in the Far East, not even in the Middle East, but on a European battlefield. However much the tide of war may ebb and flow, the protagonists now, as twenty-five years ago, are the British Empire and the German Reich.

Film Censorship

The annual report of the Film Censor has just been issued, and from it we can assume that Dr. Richard Hayes has had a busy year. In all, some 1,645 films were presented for censorship; that is to say, he must have viewed an average of about five films *per* day. Of this number, 1,276 were passed, 304 were passed subject to certain deletions, and 65 were rejected. At first sight the number of altered and rejected films seems to be rather high, but when one remembers that a large proportion of the films submitted were made in a belligerent country, and were, therefore, unsuitable for exhibition in neutral Ireland, it is not an unduly high proportion. Of the 304 films which were cut by the Censor, 157 came under Article 52 of the Emergency Powers Order which relates to films "calculated to be prejudicial to the maintenance of law and order," and 32 films were rejected for the same reason. There were 31 appeals against the Censor's decision, and 18 of them failed. Nine of the films for which appeals were made were passed, subject to cuts, and in the case of the remaining four the decision of the Censor was reversed. On the whole, it was by no means a bad year; we must reconcile ourselves to the fact that next year's report is not likely to be quite so satisfactory. Most of the films which have been shown in Ireland during the past year were filmed in neutral America; for the number of films at present being produced in Great Britain which are suitable for neutral consumption is negligible. Now that the United States have entered the war, however, it is more than likely that a similarly large proportion of the American films of the future will hinge upon the same theme, and for that reason they will be unsuitable for importation into Ireland. Such films, in the nature of things, must be censored severely or banned altogether; nobody will quarrel with the Censor on this score. It is, however, to be hoped that he will relax his standards to some degree in other respects; otherwise Ireland would be subject to a severe "film famine," with only re-issues between the audiences and "screen starvation."

Make and Mend

Tradition decrees that it is not "quite the thing" to wear new clothes. For some strange reason this tradition has persisted, in spite of repeated efforts on the part of the tailors and others connected with the clothing business to unseat it—and the perfect English gentleman does not consider himself correctly dressed until his suit has become a trifle creased and his shoes slightly dulled. Now the times have changed, and the tailors would be among the first to uphold this tradition; for if everybody thought along such lines it would result in a great saving of material. Accordingly, women's organisations all over Great Britain have been asked by the Government to co-operate in a "make and mend" campaign to teach the people how to conserve and valet their own clothes. Miss D. Niven Gerds, speaking on the subject, said that it would soon be "very bad form" to appear in anything new. We fear, however, in spite of Miss Gerds's assurance, and in spite of the time-honoured tradition to the same effect, the plain people—and particularly the female part of the population—of Great Britain still will take a delight in buying new clothes. The only method to ensure the popularity of well-worn clothing would be to commission a number of films in which the screen's glamour girls would appear, with their male counterparts, in down-at-heel shoes, laddered stockings, and out-at-elbow suits; for experience has shown that the great majority of people in the world to-day will follow the example blindly of the film-stars into whatever sartorial absurdity it may lead them. There is no reason why young women, who have been quite content to walk about town in a frilly concoction *à la* Marlene Dietrich, should feel ridiculous in a costume that is a few months out of date or a pair of stockings which has seen better days. According to the *Manchester Guardian*, a Regency wit once pointed out that "a hole is the accident of a day, and may be pardoned upon any gentleman, but a darn is premeditated poverty." In these times a darn may become the sign of civic spirit.

ON THE WIRELESS

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.0—Clar do Scolairi Scol: To-day's Historical Picture. 6.5—An Ghluin Og, Micheal O Maolain. 6.25—Ceol: Edward Dockery (violin), Mairin Ni Shuilleabhain (Amhrain). 6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—Gardening, G. O. Sherrard. 7.20—"Oidhche sa Cheardchain," Maire Ni Cheallachain agus a Cuallacht. 7.50—Denis Cox (baritone); Herbert Hughes and Stanford Songs. 8.5—"The Woman Who Started the War," Radio Play by H. L. Morrow. 8.50—Caledonian Male Voice Choir. Conductor, James E. Tyrer. 9.10—Instrumentalists: Frank O'Higgins (fiddle), Seamus Og MacAonghusa (pipes). 9.30—Operatic Programme. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—"Dancing Time."

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7.0—News. 7.15—Records. 7.30—Exercises. 7.50—"Tune for To-day." 7.55—Prayers. 8.0—News. 8.15—Kitchen Front. 8.20—"Movie Magazine." 9.0—Organ. 9.30—Light Orchestra. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Music from the North. 11.45—Dance Music. 12.15—Orchestra. 12.45—"An Agricultural Committee." 1.0—News. 1.15—"Backs to the Land." 1.30—Trio. 2.10—"The Alphas." 2.40—Organ. 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Records. 3.45—Symphony Orchestra. 4.30—"Southern Symphony." 5.0—News in Welsh. 5.5—Talk in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0—News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—Orchestra. 7.15—"In Town To-night." 7.45—The Week in Westminster. 8.0—"Regimental Flash." 8.15—"Saturday Social." 9.0—News. 9.20—American Commentary. 9.35—"Saturday at Nine-thirty-five." 10.15—Evensong. 10.30—"The Rape of the Locks." 11.20—Geraldo. 12.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—"Reveille!" 7.0—News. 7.15—Records. 8.0—News. 8.15—"Movie Magazine." 9.0—Organ. 9.30—Light Orchestra. 10.15—"The Plums." 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Music from the North. 11.45—Dance Music. 12.15—Organ. 12.30—"Workers' Playtime." 1.0—News. 1.15—"South of the Border." 1.30—Harry Roy. 2.10—"The Alphas." 2.40—Organ. 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Billy Merrin. 4.0—"That Certain Tune." 4.10—Rugby Union Football. 5.0—Radio Gazette. 5.15—"Shipmates Ashore." 5.45—"We Sailed in Convoy." 6.0—News. 6.30—Henry Hall. 7.0—Male Voice Choir. 7.15—"In Town To-night." 7.45—"The Whoopee Club." 8.15—"Saturday Social." 9.0—News. 9.20—"Taxi." 9.35—"Saturday at Nine-thirty-five." 10.15—Honolulu Hawaiians' Music. 10.45—Records. 11.20—Close down.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

5.30—Orchestral Favourites. 5.55—Bessie O'Hart Bourke's Trio; Trio No. 4 in B flat major (Mozart). 6.15—Artane School Band. Conductor, John W. Hickey. 6.45—News. 7.0—"Ask Detective-Sergeant Murphy," a Series by Cusex, No. 5, "The Affair at the Abbey." 7.20—Waldteufel Waltzes. 7.30—Nuacht na Seachtaine. 7.45—Contemporary Catholic Writers. 8.5—Michael Byrne (boy soprano). 8.15—"Question Time." 8.55—"Strange Guest," Play presented by Abbey Players. 9.55—The Week's Appeal on behalf of St. Patrick's Refuge, Dun Laoghaire, by Rev. Father Sebastian, O.F.M. 10.0—News. 10.15—Austin Stack's Ceilidhe Band, directed by Leo Redmond. 10.50—Gaelic Sports Talk, Sean O Ceallachain.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7.0—News. 7.5—Jack Wilson. 8.0—Records. 8.30—Organ. 9.0—News. 9.30—Service. 10.15—Music-lovers. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—"In Town To-night." 11.30—Service in Welsh. 12.0—Iberia. 12.35—Elgar. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Beam Approach." 1.30—"Gamesina House." 1.55—Hymns. 2.15—Garden. 2.30—Chamber Music. 3.30—"Drama at Inish." 4.35—Christian Worship. 4.50—St. David's Day. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0—News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"Rebuilding Britain." 7.0—Music by Welsh composers. 7.30—Bronze Horseman. 7.45—"Looking Ahead." 8.0—Service. 8.40—Week's Good Cause. 8.45—National Airs. 9.0—News. 9.30—Orchestra. 10.0—"Music of the People." 10.30—Epilogue. 10.38—Two Pianos. 11.10—Casino Players. 11.40—"Lullaby." 12.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—"Reveille!" 7.0—News. 7.15—Records. 8.0—"Serenade." 8.30—Organ. 9.0—News. 9.30—Tommy Handley. 10.0—"Music of the Sunny South." 10.25—For Indian Forces. 11.0—Service. 11.15—Organ. 11.30—Dance Orchestra. 12.0—Iberia. 12.35—Jack Benny. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Saturday Social." 2.0—"Accent on Rhythm." 2.15—Tango Orchestra. 2.50—"Untruisms." 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—"Tin-pan Alley." 4.0—Brains Trust. 4.45—Ice Hockey. 5.15—Grand Concert. 6.0—News. 6.30—"Hi, Gang!" 7.10—News Letter. 7.30—Hymn Singing. 8.0—"You'll Never Get Rich." 8.15—Arthur Askey. 9.0—News. 9.30—Vera Lynn. 10.0—Epilogue. 10.8—Geraldo. 10.45—Records. 11.10—Close down.

COURT AND PERSONAL

Princess Alice Countess of Athlone celebrated her birthday this week.

The Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava has left Clandeboye, Co. Down, for London, where she is staying at 17 Grosvenor place, S.W.

Lady Charles Cavendish has arrived in Dublin from Lismore Castle, Co. Waterford.

Mr. Patrick Belton, T.D., who has recently undergone an operation in a Dublin nursing home, will be unable to fulfil any public engagements for some time.

Mrs. Mortimer Slattery is staying at present with her father (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) at Clonard, Dundrum.

Miss Marion Wylie is at present at Clonsilla House.

The marriage arranged between George Frederick Hill, Belfast, son of the late Mr. G. Hill and Mrs. Hill, Blackrock, and Kathleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Newell, Sandymount, will take place (D.V.) on Monday, 30th March, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Donnybrook, at 11.30 a.m.

The engagement is announced of George Munro Meares, the National Bank, Ltd., Belfast, eldest son of the late John A. Meares and Mrs. Meares, Dalystown Ho., Moyvore, Co. Westmeath, and Margaret Mary (Mimi), fourth daughter of Michael and Mrs. White, Castlecomer, Co. Kilkenny.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place quietly in Easter week, between Dr. Patrick C. Bresnihan, County Hospital, Castlebar, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bresnihan, Castletown, Charleville, Co. Limerick, and Nora, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, Millfield, Stillorgan road, Dublin.

The engagement is announced between Lieutenant Gordon Ronald Paterson, R.N., youngest son of the late Mr. R. J. W. Paterson (Clonaslee) and Mrs. Paterson, Beechwood avenue, Dublin, and Joan Patricia, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. H. McCoy, Hibernian Bank House, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place at the end of April, of James, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Jenkins, Greythorn, Glenageary, and Margaret Lorna (Peggy), elder daughter of Edward P. and the late Mrs. O'Toole, Ardeevin, Marlborough road, Glenageary.

The marriage arranged between Lieutenant Lindsay Foulkes Seymour, Nigeria Regiment, Royal West African Frontier Force, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Seymour, 13 Belgrave road, Rathmines, Dublin, and Elma Joan Coe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coe, Portarlington, Leix, took place quietly at Christ Church, Woburn square, London, on 19th February, 1942.

Mr. Nigel Kinnear has changed his address to 8 Fitzwilliam square, and his telephone number to 63341.

Mr. W. H. Dormer, L.D.S.I., has changed address from 36 Nassau street to 5 Stephen's Green. Telephone No., 21267 (unchanged).

There's nothing like an Elizabeth Arden Treatment for restoring youthful freshness to winter-weary skin. Make an appointment now with Miss Arden's Assistant at Switzers, Grafton street. She will be in attendance until 7th March.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Fashionable Spectacles at Moderate Prices.—Pollock and Co., Ltd., 50 Grafton street.

Lehane, Tailors, 6 South Anne street, Grafton street—Dresswear, Sportswear, Overcoats, Breeches. Telephone 22868.

A further very choice collection of smart Hats.—Tanner & Shire, 11 Wicklow street.

Margaret Watson is receiving daily further additions to her Spring collection. Two and Three-piece Suits, Tailored Frocks, smart Ensembles, Dinner and Dance Frocks. Inspection invited.—17A Dawson street.

Trianon, 17 Merrion Row. . . Dresses. . . Designs. . . by Patrick Perrott.

Model Coat in novelty exclusive plaid in beige green colourings, belted and with dolman sleeves.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

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Elizabeth Nolan's (opp. Gaiety Theatre)—Exquisite Lingerie, Linens, Lace Cloths, Decorations, Brassieres.

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The portfolio of pictures, "Twelve Irish Artists," can be bought at Duffy's, 38 Westmoreland street, Dublin; price 21/-, postage 6d.; in book form, 25/-, postage 8d.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau Street, Dublin.

PLASTIC WORK

The wonders of plastics was the subject of a lecture by Dr. Alfred E. Werner at the Royal Dublin Society last night. In a series of demonstrations Dr. Werner showed how materials in everyday use are made by chemists, including casein, bakelite, perspex and formalin. Casein is being manufactured at Kanturk, bakelite at Nenagh, and articles from catalin and perspex in Dublin.

FEIS ATHA CLIATH

Feis Atha Cliath opens in the Mansion House on Monday night next with a total entry of 4,850, which creates a new record and shows an increase of 500 on last year's record. Patrons of the event are promised a feast of music, dancing and drama. The competitions will continue daily from 4.0 to 10.30 p.m., with the afternoon sessions for schools and night sessions for adults and members of Gaelic League branches.

An Seabhac will deliver the opening address.

IRISH WILLS

Alfred Cecil Pim, Knockevin, Howth, company chairman, died 11th January, 1942—£1,019.

Patrick Kelleher, Mundsley Sanatorium, Norfolk, died 28th June, 1941—£6,291 (in Eire).

John Murray, 1 Duke street, Dublin, optician, died 12th November, 1941—£4,650.

Mr. Joseph Coyne, the musical comedy actor, who died on February 17th last, aged seventy-three years, left £58,877.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

MR. JAMES LOUIS GARVIN has ceased to be editor of *The Observer* following differences on policy between himself and Lord Astor, proprietor of the paper. A statement to this effect will appear in Sunday's issue. Mr. Garvin has been editor of this great newspaper for thirty-four years, and one of the greatest editorships of modern times is thus ended. Mr. Garvin began life as an Irish Nationalist, and was a great admirer of Parnell. Going to England, he received his early training in the North country, but by the 'nineties he was already well known in London journalism. Early in the present century he was one of the most consistent advocates of Joseph Chamberlain's tariff reform policy; later, on the commission of both Mr. Chamberlain's sons, he began his fine four-volume life of their father. Mr. Garvin and his wife live at "Gregories," near Beaconsfield, a beautiful old Tudor house, which was formerly the home of Edmund Burke. A few years ago the Garvins entertained members of the Irish Literary Society to a garden party there, when the lovely wooded grounds, with their miniature lakes and flower gardens were greatly admired. Here was created the vigorous and wonderful English which has made Mr. Garvin one of the most celebrated and prolific publicists of the age.

Woman Power

Mr. Bevin's decision to-day to call up all single women born in 1920 and 1921 in the food trade is the first time this branch of activity has been brought under his effective scrutiny. Married women in the trade of the same ages will be directed to war work locally. Older women up to twenty-five in retail branches are also affected; if they are not on clerical work they will be replaced by women over thirty. In the case of clerical workers, there is to be a big "haul"—all women between twenty-two and thirty in the retail food trade, except "key" women, will be transferred to war work. Even more important, however, is Mr. Bevin's decision to withdraw all women between twenty-six and thirty from every retail trade, except food and coal.

Rich "Old Joe"

Mr. Joseph Coyne, the musical comedy star of "No, No, Nanette," and "The Merry Widow" fame, who died a year ago, firmly believing he was penniless, left £58,777, it was revealed to-day. He made no will and the fortune will go to his nieces and nephews in the United States, where he was born of Irish parents. Determined to avoid the fate of many of his contemporaries, who earned big money but ended their lives in poverty, Joe worked on until 1931, when he was 64, and earned a fortune. Towards the end of his retirement he lived meagrely, as if he had no idea where the next meal was coming from. He had a room at the Carlton Hotel, but he rarely ate there, patronising instead cheap restaurants, and wearing shabby clothes. He smoked only "five for twopence" cigarettes. What had begun as a rumour among his friends, that he was badly off, Joe himself began to believe as the truth. Gradually he became convinced that the fate of many of his contemporaries was his, and he even economised on his shaving, although he had all these thousands at two banks, and would never cash a cheque.

Home Production of Eggs

How six Light Sussex hens living in coops on the leaden roof of a Mayfair house have produced six hundred and eighty-six eggs in the last nine months was revealed to-day. The hens have been fed three times a day on scraps from the kitchen—vegetable oddments of all kinds and toasted bread-crumbs. With Lord Woolton rationing eggs at the rate of two a month, many people will be anxious to try this very successful Grosvenor square experiment.

Stanstead Park Fire

Lord Bessborough, former Governor-General of Canada, directed the work of firemen to-day when fire broke out at his Hampshire home, Stanstead Park, near Rowland's Castle. Ten thousand pounds worth of furniture was destroyed. It had been taken from his London house in Eaton square, and was stored in his private theatre, which is separate from the house, and was burned out. Lord Bessborough has been very busy in recent months acting as *liaison* with French people in Britain. Lady Bessborough is a Frenchwoman, being the only daughter and heiress of the late Baron Jean de Neuflize, who was head of the banking firm of that name. She has the unusual name of Roberte. Lord Bessborough has now no place in Ireland, his delightful mansion at Piltown having been purchased by the Irish Oblates. In the palmy days of the Iverk Show, many years ago, everyone on the fertile and model estate, on which the best herds of the South were raised, was a competitor for the various classes, and for the neatest cottage.

John Ford's Distinction

The gold statuette, awarded by the Academy of Arts and Sciences for the best cinema direction of 1941, has been awarded to Mr. John Ford for his picturisation of the Richard Llewellyn best selling novel of Welsh mining life, "How Green is My Valley." Now a Lieutenant-Commander in the United States Navy, Mr. Ford won the award twice before—in 1935 with the "Informer" and in 1940 with "The Grapes of Wrath." In "How Green is My Valley," shortly to have its London premiere, Miss Maureen O'Hara plays the beautiful Angharad Morgan. Other Irish stars in the film are Barry Fitzgerald, Sara Allgood and Arthur Shields.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Tea by the Ton

Knowing that I am fond of a good, strong cup of tea, a friend tried to cheer me with the news that a cargo of the precious leaf was on its way to Dublin. Where he got his information, and whether it was correct or not, I cannot tell.

However, I made a few calculations to discover how big the cargo would have to be to be of any real use. To provide each one of the 2,989,700 persons in the twenty-six counties with an ounce per head it would have to weigh 84 tons, 8 cwt., 2 stone and 12½lbs. How much space in a ship would 84 tons occupy?

Unfortunately, at half-an-ounce per head per week the 84 tons would last for only a fortnight. To make us all sure of our ration for four months, taking into consideration the tea used by hotels and restaurants, something like 1,000 tons would be necessary.

"Our Buffalo!"

"I bid one buffaloe!" Such a bid would no doubt cause considerable astonishment at an Irish auction.

And yet an article will come under the hammer during the sale of curios in a Dublin auctioneering firm's galleries next week which was once accepted as the equivalent of fifteen buffaloes. It is an exquisitely inlaid silver casket of antique design, which once had an important place in the native currency of the far interior of North Borneo.

So important was it, indeed, in the financial system of the natives that for years its removal was forbidden by the British authorities.

Blow Pipes

Other articles of less amiable interest in the lives of the Dyaks in this collection when I inspected it the other day were the native blow-pipes, with their bamboo "holsters" of darts—the latter are being handled very carefully, indeed, just in case there are any traces of the deadly poison usually smeared on their tips.

I also saw a silk cloth, worked in gold, for a Princess of the old Laos dynasty of Siam by order of the reigning king, and presented to her at birth to furnish her wedding garment. But best of all I liked a tiny monkey—one of the famous "Hear-Speak-and-See No Evil" trinity of the East — most exquisitely carved in wood by some unknown native craftsman. It reminded me of a boyhood ambition to keep a monkey, which was always frowned upon as an anti-social urge.

Things have changed for me since then, but the way of a monkey-lover is still hard.

"Mourning Becomes Electra"

Those stalwart friends of mine, Hilton Edwards and Micheal MacLiammoir, are back in town again after their company's fortnight's visit to Cork, and already they are hard at work on their forthcoming Gaiety season.

To begin with, they will revive Eugene O'Neill's "Mourning Becomes Electra." Containing three full-length plays: "Homecoming," "The Hunted" and "The Haunted," and running for four hours, this extraordinary tale of murder, revenge and retribution has been greeted as one of the outstanding contributions of modern American playwrights, and is certainly one of Hilton Edwards' most successful productions.

To fit in the trilogy in its entirety before the last 'buses leave, the curtain will rise at 6.30, but I believe there will be an interval for refreshments for those who won't have time to dine before this early start.

I hear, by-the-by, that Dr. Robert Collis's new play, "The Barrel-Organ," originally scheduled for production this spring, has had to be postponed until next autumn, as the productions of this spring season have to tour. Which sounds as though "The Barrel-Organ" contains even more outspokenness about Dublin life than that which stimulated the city so much in his "Marrowbone Lane."

As for the intervening productions, I shall give you further information.

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IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

School Inspector Retires.—Mr. J. Topping, M.A., National Schools' Inspector, Portarlington, has retired after 47 years' service.

Limerick Employers' Trade Union.—Limerick Employers' Federation unanimously decided to have a trade union for employers, set up under the provisions of the new Trade Union Act.

Kilmuckridge (Co. Wexford) Branch, Irish Red Cross Society.—Officers elected: Rev. E. J. Wheeler, C.C., Chairman; Major A. Bryan, Upton Hydro, Vice-Chairman; Nurse Jackman, Treasurer, and Mr. Patrick Neary, Headmaster, Vocational School, Hon. Sec.

Restrictions on Sale of Turf.—At a meeting of the North Kildare Turf Vendors' Association, the Government was requested to withdraw the restrictions on the sale of turf, as this was the sole livelihood of many people living in bog areas.

Twelve Months For Limerick Man.—Charged with obtaining money under false pretences, Patrick Kennedy, no fixed abode, was sentenced to two consecutive periods of six months' imprisonment at Limerick Court yesterday.

Cashel District Nursing Association.—At the thirty-third annual meeting of Cashel District Nursing Association, the following officers were elected:—President, Miss K. Murphy; vice-president, Miss E. Corby; hon. secretary and treasurer, Mrs. A. G. Caldwell.

Eire's Umbrella Man.—After half a century of wandering through Southern Ireland, plying his trade as umbrella mender, Phil O'Driscoll was found dead in a County Waterford field with his umbrellas stacked beside him. He was 70 years old, and the inquest verdict was that he died from heart failure due to exposure.

Emergency Fertiliser Supplies.—An Emergency Powers (Distribution of Artificial Fertilisers) Order has been made by the Minister for Agriculture under which retailers of the emergency compound fertiliser, the only compound fertiliser available this season, may not supply to a new customer more than 56lb., save by permission of the Department of Agriculture.

"Twelfth Night" at the Gate.—On Tuesday next, Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" will be presented by Longford Productions at the Gate Theatre, at 8 p.m. This production is directed by John Izon, with settings by Carl Bonn and costumes designed by Lord Longford. A special feature will be the music, selected from song books of Shakespeare's time.

Crooksling Complaints. — Alderman A. Byrne, T.D.; Councillors Coughlan, Cahill and O'Reilly, who had been appointed on a special Sub-committee of the Dublin Corporation to investigate complaints in Crooksling Sanatorium, visited that institution yesterday. They interviewed a number of patients and will report on their visit to the Corporation.

Death of Cork Business Man.—The death has occurred at his residence in Cork of Mr. James H. Scott, for over 40 years a member of the staff of Messrs. Lanham, and a popular member of Douglas Golf Club, the Royal Munster Yacht Club, and the Constitution Rugby Football Club.

Sudden Death in Balbriggan.—Paul Baker (58) was found dead yesterday in his house at Dublin street, Balbriggan, where he had lived alone.

Ban on Sheep Removed.—As from to-morrow, March 1st, sheep, goats and pigs from Eire can be sent to Northern Ireland. Sheep will be bought at border posts if deemed to be fit for slaughter.

Took Boy's Overcoat.—A girl, Nora Dillon, Island Field, Limerick, who pleaded guilty to stripping an overcoat off a little boy on the street and pawning it, was at Limerick Court yesterday given a two months' suspensory sentence.

G.S.R. Licences Transferred.—At Bray yesterday an *ad interim* transfer of the licences attached to the refreshment bar and buffet of the Great Southern Railways Company at Bray was granted to Mr. Henry George Boardman, Secretary of the Company.

School Hours in Cork.—Because of gas rationing, Cork schools are contemplating a mid-day break from 12.30 to 2 p.m. (the gas supply for the mid-day meal being available from 12 noon to 1.30 p.m.); school hours then to be extended to 3.30 p.m. Infant classes may finish altogether at 12.30 p.m. each day.

Gaelic League Drive.—Conchubhar O Coileain, Riobard A. Bramham and Ceallachain Mac Canthaigh will represent the Coisde Gnotha, or Executive Council of the Gaelic League, at the Convention to be held at Naas, Co. Kildare, to-day. This will be the first of a series of County Conventions to be held with a view to strengthening the organisation.

Charge of Forgery in Dublin.—In the Dublin District Court yesterday John Keane, of no fixed residence, was remanded to March 6th on charges of forging and uttering a cheque for £11 3/- to Finbar Mooney, an assistant in Messrs. Kingston's, Upper O'Connell street, and obtaining a raincoat valued at £1 18/- and £9 5/- in cash by false pretences.

Galway Workmen Compensated.—Decrees for £700 and £300, respectively, were awarded by Judge Wyse Power yesterday in actions brought by Colman Conroy, Cooke's terrace, Galway, and Joseph Kerrigan, Henry street, Galway, against Associated Contractors (Ireland), Limited, Galway, for injuries received during the course of their employment with the company.

Studied Traditional Writers.—The unflinching pursuit of Virginia Woolf's vision made her important to other writers, said Miss Mary Lavin, in a talk at last night's meeting of the Dublin Literary Society, held in Lincoln Chambers, Dublin. In an age of clap-trap, Virginia Woolf was one of the few experimenters who had made a study of the traditional writers before she began her own experiments.

"Jane Eyre" at Dun Laoghaire.—The stage version of Charlotte Bronte's novel, "Jane Eyre," is now being successfully presented by Court Productions at the Dun Laoghaire Town Hall. Diana Romney, the producer, also takes the chief part, and acquits herself creditably in both capacities. She has gathered round her a capable company, among whom are George Green, Deirdre Halligan, Alan Desmond, Larminie Baker, Kevin Young and Mollie Irwin.

NOW *for* Spring Wheat

In order to win the BATTLE FOR BREAD al the SPRING WHEAT possible must be sown during the present season, and price and market are guaranteed. Seed supplies are, fortunately, more plentiful than in recent years.

Here are the times in normal seasons for sowing the following principal varieties of SPRING WHEAT:—

ATLE and RED MARVEL	Up to end of March
APRIL RED KOLBEN and DIAMANT	Up to end of April

Sow at once before the rush of other Spring work.

And plan immediately for—

More Early Potatoes
More Maincrop Potatoes
More Oats and
More Barley

Issued by the Department of Agriculture.

BOOKS OF THE WEEK

New Verse

By AUSTIN CLARKE

The North Star and Other Poems. By Laurence Binyon. London: Macmillan. 4/-.

Gautama, the Enlightened and Other Verse. By John Masefield. London: Heinemann. 5/-.

Street Songs. By Edith Sitwell. London: Macmillan. 3/6.

THE best single poem, perhaps, of the last war is Laurence Binyon's brief elegy, *For the Fallen.* A stanza of that poem has been cut in stone at the entrance to the British Museum. It has well stood the test of the chisel and of the eye in every mood. Having attained finality in that poem, Mr. Binyon could hardly be expected to improve on it, and the war poems in his present volume have a touch of fatigue in them. Even Atlas and Sisyphus must weary of the same grievous and stupendous task.

Man records the miseries and violence of the ages, "but writes no history of his happiness." In most of these poems Mr. Binyon has turned to happy memories of his own past. He recalls his first sight of the stained glass windows at Chartres Cathedral.:

> Spiritual colour in dimness angel-high,
> The very Light made flesh!

He describes his feelings on stepping from that mediæval light into the present:

> Earth and sky were needing a new name
> When I came out into the simple sun.

The Last Parnassian

There are glimpses of Mediterranean islands with their ancient associations, of Delphi, of Lycabettus. Mr. Binyon, who is now the doyen of English poets, might in some ways be described as the last Parnassian.

> O Paro, O Grecia, antichità serena,
> Datemi i marmi e i carmi.

Incidentally, Mr. Binyon is an authority on Oriental art, and there is no better survey of that vast subject than his brief imaginative essay, *The Flight of the Dragon.* His poetic memories, in this book, of visits to the Far East have now a rather rueful interest. *Miyajima* is an idyll of a lovely islet in Japan's Inland Sea. Neither birth nor death is permitted to take place on its sacred soil. In *Koya San* the poet tells how he climbed the holy mountain near Osaka at darkfall. On the slope are many temples, and at the top is the grave of the Buddhist saint Kobo, before whose shrine a light perpetually burns. He found there the touch of infinite companionship:

> Found at the world's end the same pilgrim soul,
> And the old sorrow, no flight can outstrip.

The East predominates in Mr. John Masefield's new book, as the title indicates, but here the contact is literary rather than artistic or personal. That mild literary tradition began in mid-Victorian times with Sir Edwin Arnold's *Light of Asia,* and it is curious to find Mr. Masefield returning to it. Theosophy in the 'eighties deepened the form with the element of personal experience. But has anything been more vivid than those earlier Indian love poems of Yeats, written in his 'teens and glowing with soft luminous colour?

Vision of Plenty

In contrast, there is a long poem, *Shopping in Oxford,* written to some extent in the eighteenth century style, and slightly reminiscent of the epicurean manner of Matthew Green. As a result its humour is rather factitious. No doubt, this vision of plenty in shop-window and coffer is an imaginative reaction from rationing. Here and there in the shorter poems an imaginative phrase still flashes out in the old manner. The surplice white, for instance, of the early sloe in blossom, "while the thorn's a priest."

The extravagance of transferred epithet and swung rhythm which shocked so many readers of Miss Edith Sitwell's earlier poems has been gradually transformed in her later work. The title of her new books is, perhaps, erratic, for there are no popular tunes here; the æolian harp replaces the barrel organ. The themes, indeed, are those of common humanity, but though the themes are felt deeply, they are hidden from us in a kind of luminosity of words. Edith and Sacheverell Sitwell are, perhaps, the only English poets at the present moment who still use words as a composer uses notes, or as a painter uses colour, and their work recalls the later evasive phase of pre-Raphaeliteism. In these poems a drowsier world of music and tone is always round the street corner. The swans are

> These angels come to watch their whiter ghosts
> In the air-pale water.

Blake-like, lovers walk in the holy fields beneath "the Abraham-bearded sun." The gold-armoured ghost from the Roman Road still sighs over the wheat. But sometimes there is sharp concentration.

> Although they call your heart a stone,
> It is the stone from David's sling.

The poems are peculiarly atmospheric, and have to be taken without prejudice for their total effect.

RECENT FICTION

THE GREAT GOD PAN

The God in the Gutter. By Reyner Barton. Chapman and Hall. 8/- net
Period Piece. By Frances Gray. Constable. 7/6 net.
A Convict has Escaped. By Jackson Budd. Michael Joseph, 7/6 net.
The Remarkable Andrew. By Dalton Trumbo. The Bodley Head. 8/6 net.

"THE GOD IN THE GUTTER" is a fascinating title for a novel; the god, by the way, is the great god Pan, and the gutter is somewhere in London—roughly speaking, down Lambeth way.

It is the story of a young woman who used too liberally the attributes which nature bestowed upon her. She used them to make what is known as a "good match" with an honest and clean-living young man, somewhat above her station. She used them to break up that marriage, not because she wished to destroy it, but because what once had been feminine guile soon became mere wantonness.

The last part of the book is disappointing; for this thoroughly real and completely bad young woman becomes unconvincingly as good as gold in an unsuccessful attempt to win her husband back. Mr. Barton's heroine is a great deal more human as scheming Delilah than as repentant Diana.

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"PERIOD PIECE" is another very apt title; for Frances Gray's latest novel is nothing more or less than a study—and a short study at that—of a typical British new-rich family who take over an old estate, where they hold week-end parties and talk like characters out of a Frederick Lonsdale play.

The book is largely taken up with a description of their various inane activities, which include a verse competition, a novel form of "Truth or Dare," a widespread exhibition of uncontrolled desires—sexual and otherwise—at least five proposals of marriage—all to the same young woman—and one suicide. It is all very bitter and faintly amusing; and one of the characters, a dreadful woman called Delia, really comes to life.

One can read the book and devoutly thank God that such monstrosities are now extinct.

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"A CONVICT HAS ESCAPED." Once again the title tells the story. Jackson Budd's novel has nothing in it apart from the suspense naturally connected with such a theme. If you are content to be thrilled, without being either interested or moved, then "A Convict Has Escaped" should suit you, as they say, down to the ground; it is not the sort of book you will want to leave down half-way through, and it is conveniently short enough to read at one sitting. It is disappointing to discover that the villain of the piece is no villain at all, but an innocent man condemned to suffer for another's sins. The old, old story.

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"THE REMARKABLE ANDREW" is certainly a remarkable book, but there is very little remarkable about Andrew himself; he is a normal accountant, with a genius for figures and an amazing propensity for getting himself into trouble.

His troubles have to do with a racketeering set of city fathers, and when he finds that the accounts refuse to balance he enlists the help of a few family spooks, which include his namesake, General Andrew Jackson, George Washington and Mr. Jefferson. These venerable shades do not confine their advice to the mere matter of the city's finance; they treat Andrew to a discourse on the state of the world to-day, throwing in a few chance remarks on Hitler's Germany and the now out-of-date American "Aid-to-Britain" campaign. It is amusing, witty and out of the beaten track; and a mild "love-interest" is included for those who like that sort of thing.

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And One was Beautiful (By Alice Duer Miller. Methuen. 7/6 net). This is a slight affair about two sisters, one of whom, as the title so delicately infers, was plain; and it is with the plain one that the story is mainly concerned. It starts a few pages before a motor car accident and ends a few pages before a proposal of marriage, and it will probably keep most readers occupied for a couple of hours.

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The Night is Blind (By Dulcie Sancier. Hutchinson. 8/6 net). Here is yet another of those shallow, pointless novels, with a few spicy bits thrown in to make it interesting.

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Call it Kindness (By Barbara Kaye. Hurst and Blackett. 8/6 net). It says on the dust-cover that this is "a book for those who can still enjoy a genuine love story"; fair enough.

G.H.G.

The John Burroughs award in America has just been made to "Birds of the Grey Wind," by Mr. Edward A. Armstrong, which was published by the Oxford University Press in 1940. Since 1926 the John Burroughs Association has awarded each year its bronze medal for the best piece of nature writing that has appeared within three years previous.

The Travelling Woman

By PATRICK KAVANAGH

Driftwood and Tangle. By Margaret Leigh. London: Macmillan. Price 7/6 net.

Typist in China. By Ida Hurst. London: John Long. Price 18/- net.

NEITHER of these books provides very encouraging material for the reviewer. Both are rather competent journalism. Miss Leigh's account of a sojourn in the isles of Scotland is written in a sentimental, poeticised manner, which some writers think is the due of ould ancient places full of fairies and piety. Considering the pietistic slowness of the book it might appear to the reader of some particular value. I am very much afraid that I found no real "kick" in it; no new revelation of Scotland, either ancient or modern, such as is to be found in Louis McNiece's "I Crossed the Minch." Like the author of "Typist in China"—and the general run of women travellers—Miss Leigh discovers some hairy old truth, and repeats it for us in a heightened tone, as though she expected us to think it new.

I said that these two books were journalism. ("Typist in China" makes no pretensions to literature.) Then what is the difference between literature and journalism? Literature is written from the inside—journalism from the outside: the difference between overhearing a discussion on love and the speech of oneself in love. I am not, of course, suggesting that the speech of lovers is anything like literature; the analogy refers only to the mood.

Stale Porridge

Let me open Miss Leigh's book at a genuine random and see what she has to say about anything.

> The Atlantic may sleep, but it is never still. From every shore and skerry rose a vast, continuous sighing, as if all the strife and passion had died into acquiescence, into that acceptance of what is "appointed" that seems to be the ultimate wisdom of the wild. The rocky field, the wind-swept hill has little profit to offer, but the harder its conquest, the greater its demand on patience and labour, the more passionately it is loved. As a man in Valentia, speaking of his croft, said to me: "There isn't much money in it, but we have our health and enough to eat, and isn't that a great thing?"

That quotation does justice to the author. It is the stale porridge rewarmed. And does it not give us a good idea of the author herself—her shocking sentimentality *re* the Valentia man. . . "health and enough to eat and isn't that a great thing?"

The author of "Typist in China" is one of those bright little newspaper girls that we see on the films. She went to China for "copy," but for all her book has to tell us she might just as easily have found this China in London. In fact, what she found was herself among the usual light-headed Bills and Toms and Charlies, with an occasional Pu Yan and Fu Keong thrown in for effect.

Modern China

Still, it would be easy to be less than just to Ida Hurst's book. She does show us the superficial modern China of the water-fronts before the Japanese took over the water. Many places in the news now are mentioned, such as the Burma road, but no new light is thrown on them—not that we should expect such a light from Ida Hurst. There is an account of a night-club and all that goes with it which could easily have been part of a bad Hollywood film. It was run by a cheap New York gangster wearing a Chinese mask—that's how it sounds.

As is the case with the Scotch book, a purely random quotation is sure to be revealing:—

> "But I'm young. I want a lover who'll stir my pulses." (Ida speaking.)
> "Stir your pulses," dabbled the fountain; "as if my master couldn't do that! I could tell you things. . ."
> "No doubt. I bet you could."
> "That little exotic dancer from Rangoon. . ."
> "Now, now, no tales out of school!"

That's about the size of it. Ida Hurst's book has none the less some merit: it is not quite as bad as the title suggests, and it is readable.

The State Papers of Roosevelt

The Public Papers and Addresses of Franklin D. Roosevelt. With a special introduction and explanatory notes by President Roosevelt. Material compiled and collated by Samuel I Rosenman. In four volumes:—

1937: The Constitution Prevails.
1938: The Continuing Struggle for Liberalism.
1939: War—and Neutrality.
1940: War—and Aid to Democracies.

London: Macmillan. The four volumes, 6 guineas net.

BROADLY speaking, these four magnificently produced volumes cover President Roosevelt's second term of office. The 1937 volume opens with his Second Inaugural Address, delivered on January 20th. His first four years had shaken the United States to their foundations. The great series of measures which are lumped together under the heading of the New Deal had brought American social legislation almost up to the level of that prevailing in the most advanced countries of Europe, and in certain respects beyond it. The President, as an inevitable consequence, had become the most loved and the most hated man in his land.

It was inevitable that the forces of reaction, basing their challenge on "individualism" and "democracy," should swing to the attack; and the 1937 and 1938 volumes of this admirable series of State papers show the attack in progress. For anybody who wants a clear picture of American history during those two years, nothing can be better than the President's own introduction to the volumes. Wall Street had harnessed the Supreme Court to its chariot, and one by one all the principal measures of the New Deal had been declared unconstitutional.

Conditions of 1787

"Apparently," writes the President, "the physical conditions of 1787 in farming, labour, manufacturing, mining, industry and finance were still to be yardsticks of legal power for dealing with the wholly different world of one hundred and fifty years later. Those of us who had been taught by the great exponents of the Constitution that it contained enduring principles of wisdom and justice which could be applied to any new set of conditions had apparently been listening to false prophets."

The Supreme Court was forced to surrender, but the spirit of the Conservative revolt was not yet broken. The new Liberalism still had to face the danger of mutiny in the ranks of the President's own party. There were whispers of "dictatorship," to which the White House retorted with a charge of "Fascism" against the moguls of Wall street. The President had accepted his alignment with the "small man" versus big business, and the battle was on. And in the middle of all the addresses to Congress, fireside chats, Press conferences, and speeches here, there and everywhere, which paint so detailed and lucid a picture of that inspiring epoch in American domestic politics, one comes, almost without noticing it, upon the first mention of the name of Adolf Hitler.

Domestic Politics

Domestic politics continue to form the larger element of the 1939 and a large element of the 1940 volumes, but already the cloud rising over Europe is casting its shadow upon the Americas. The value and interest of these two volumes to the European reader are unbounded, since here, for the first time, he is permitted to look upon the European scene through American eyes. And very clear-seeing eyes they are, with a very clear brain behind them. These documents give the lie once and for all to the widespread belief that President Roosevelt's whole aspiration was to bring his country into war on the side of the European democracies. No Irish statesman has argued with greater earnestness for neutrality. It is in the name of American neutrality that he pleads for the repeal of the arms embargo; and it is not until the fall of France in the summer of 1940 that he openly takes sides, and "security"—represented not merely by the huge augmentation of American defences, but by active assistance to the British—replaces "neutrality" as the keyword of his policy. "We are planning our own defence with the utmost urgency," he says in a famous fireside chat in the closing days of December, 1940, "and in its vast scale we must integrate the war needs of Britain and the other free nations which are resisting aggression. . . . There can be no appeasement with ruthlessness."

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It would be possible to lift a thousand ringing phrases from the pages of these four volumes—such phrases as the memorable: "Democracy is not just a word to be shouted at political rallies and then put back into the dictionary after election day." These display Franklin Roosevelt's quality as an orator; yet the outstanding impression that one derives from either a casual or a detailed perusal of this huge mass of material is of the lucidity of his mind and speech. He may—doubtless must—employ "ghost-writers," but their work is wonderfully well integrated by his own personality. This lucidity is manifest not merely in his speeches, in the written introductions to these volumes and in the explanatory notes that accompany every important pronouncement, but most conspicuously in the verbatim reports of his remarkable Press conferences—a form of publicity which must be unique. These conferences are bound to make the mouth of any Irish journalist water not only by the contrast that they offer to the chilly, formal, and frequently ill-expressed, "hand-outs" which form the chief mode of contact between journalist and Government here, but also for the degree of mutual trust that they manifest. Rumour says that the conferences are seldom abused. When President Roosevelt speaks "off the record," his trust is not betrayed; indeed, there is no indication of any such betrayal in the four of these volumes—although the President has hard things to say about the Press on more occasions than one.

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There are a dozen points of view from which the four volumes could be reviewed. The average reader, who wants merely a general survey of a highly important four years of American history, as well as the picture of a great President, must not be daunted by their bulk, or by any preconceived idea that State papers are of necessity dull. He can go through them page by page—skipping, if he will, the budgetary items—or he can open here and there at fireside chat or Press conference; and one reviewer, at least, can guarantee that the labour will be pleasant.

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Masters of Reality. By Una Ellis-Fermor. London: Methuen. 6/- net.
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This Living Stone. The Grey Walls Anthology of New Poems. Edited by Wrey Gardiner. Essex: Grey Walls Press. 5/- net.
The Valley near Slievenamon. Edited by James Maher. "The Kilkenny People." 10/6 net.
Straight Runs Harley Street. By Philip Inman. Chapman and Hall. 8/- net.
A Little Book of Modern Verse. Selected by Anne Ridler. London: Faber and Faber. 3/6 net.

British Uniforms

A History of the Uniforms of the British Army. By Cecil C. P. Lawson. London: Peter Davies. 17/6 net.

THIS volume in the history of the uniforms of the British Army is the third of a series, and it covers the period from 1715-1760, a period during which the uniforms hardly could be said to be distinguished either for their beauty or for their utility.

To anybody genuinely interested either in uniforms or in this period of history the book should have some appeal; for it gives a most detailed account of every change in the style, almost from day to day, and is illustrated with a multitude of drawings—albeit not particularly good drawings—by the author and several coloured plates.

Letters

"HORIZON"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—With pleasure I note that Mr. Frank O'Connor has discovered something to write about in this intolerable country. His discovery, it is true, led to nothing more than a letter to you, who, surely, would prefer, like myself, one of Mr. O'Connor's admirable, incomparable short stories.

The letter is not without its compensations. How irreverent and naughty of that young poet, Roibeard O Farachain, your reviewer, to comment on the strange opinions and literary delusions of the Grand Old Man, Mr. O'Connor! How audacious of me to publish verse, even under your judgment, sir, without first letting Mr. O'Connor re-write it! No, sir. I should prefer to be re-written by some of the real contemporary poets whom Mr. O'Connor condemns as painters, decorators, and neo-Celtic bards.

Nothing Mr. O'Connor may say by way of praise or blame, especially by way of praise, can shake my belief in the genius of the poets, Roibeard O Farachain and Patrick Kavanagh. They will survive his attentions happily. Strange as it may seem to him, the genius of either poet does not exist because he has pronounced the word, for he is, as yet, only a creative artist and not the Creator. The distinction, known to neo-Thomists, may annoy Mr. O'Connor. What can one do!

As for my own inconsiderable verse which amused and irritated Mr. O'Connor, what can I say? I cannot come forward and break the old and decent custom of letting the work speak for itself; I cannot pose as an infallible arbiter of life and literature; simulate the grand manner of isolate, outraged genius; damn my contemporaries with invidious provincial witticisms; throw justice and proportion to the winds and cry, "I, I, I am the Grand Panjandrum." I cannot do these things, because, while admitting that men may be entitled to their less dangerous delusions, I am pretty certain I am not Mr. Frank O'Connor, but only yours, the Woolworth poet, one of the neo-Celtic painting and decorating bards,

FRANCIS MACMANUS.

53 Carysfort avenue, Blackrock,
Dublin, February 26th, 1942.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The fatherly concern shown towards me by Mr. O'Connor brought into my head the "Cradle Song" of Mr. O'Connor's Favourite Author (deceased):

> I kiss you and kiss you,
> My pigeon, my own:
> How I shall miss you
> When you have grown.

In a manner of speaking, he says to me the reverse:

> How I shall kiss you
> when you have grown.

I told your readers, Mr. Editor, in my review, that Seán O Faoláin's article had shown me and my generation to be infants in arms (take care you, Sir, are not jailed for Child Labour); but I find now that I am in an ever more wretched state of want and ignorance than I had realised. I

> "have never seen life, except through the fug of a library," am "completely unaware of Ireland, Europe, men and women, and the events that shape the destiny of nations." What are your terms for private tuition, Mr. O'Connor?

Excepting these reflections on my napkin-and-dribbler mental condition, Mr. O'Connor replies to nothing in my review but my comments on Mr. Kavanagh's verse and his opinion of it, whereas it is his own journalism and the country's opinion of it which is of real interest. I find my attribution to him of "eccentric literary judgments" amply confirmed by his statement that Mr. Kavanagh is the only modern Irish poet, with Higgins and myself as poets in spots. It is a hard thing, and a bitter thing, and a sore thing, surely, to see

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Stephens, Colum, Campbell, Donaghy, Clarke, Fallon, Rodgers, O'Sullivan, Gogarty and O'Connor without a spot at all, at all, at all! But the spectacle of Mr. K., lonely amid the high winds, like Nelson, with his single, solitary eye on his subject, and none for the impression he is making! A grand sight, like a mother that's longing for her child to be born, but not caring whether he has two or three heads, one foot or two, one chin or twenty, and who thinks when he's born his pelt will be clothes enough, whatever the neighbours say.

Mr. O'Connor's distaste for technical criticism is the abiding mark of the amateur in verse. Any whole-time poet will, however, understand it, and will not assume from it that one considers only technique important.

Indeed, the most remarkable thing about Mr. K. as a poet is the smallness of his output in verse and the comparative bigness of his output in prose. In more than ten years we have had from him about forty pages of poetry. If it were highly-concentrated and highly-finished we might be satisfied, but as it is ——. Whatever their comparative poetic talents, Mr. MacManus has shown in the poem which Mr. O'Connor derides a subtlety of conception and a dramatic power which have not so far appeared in Mr. Kavanagh.—Yours, etc.,

ROIBEARD O FARACHAIN.

Dublin, February 26th, 1942.

RECENT BRITISH STRATEGY

OPERATIONS IN THE PACIFIC

BY OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

WHILE even the ablest generalship may not be able to ensure that a war will be won—witness, in the present war, Mannerheim and Papagos—thoroughly incompetent generalship can easily result in a war being lost. Hitherto it was not easy for an outside observer to dogmatise as to what was the best course for the Allies to adopt, at any one of several successive stages in the operations. However, in Mr. Churchill's most recent review we have ample facts to enable us to form an objective opinion.

According to the British Premier: "Singapore was a naval base, rather than a fortress." The situation of Singapore was vastly different from that of a base on the home territory of Britain. Singapore, quite definitely, had to possess a measure of independence that a home base need not have. In other words, some important degree of land-side protection was a *sine qua non.* Even granting that nobody at present in authority was responsible for the failure to prepare this, there was a precious interval of a year and a half between the Japanese occupation of Indo-China and their attack on Singapore. That interval was quite sufficient to permit of organising an extemporised position—a sort of strategic bridgehead on the Johore mainland. What Mr. Churchill meant by "the various defence lines which had been constructed in Johore" is not easily understood. The existence of any such defence lines was not evident from the contemporary accounts of the fighting. Indeed, there seem to have been serious gaps in even the seaward face of the defences.

One read at the time, with some surprise, that Pulo Ubin island was not fortified; nor even permanently occupied.

SINGAPORE LOSSES

Mr. Churchill accurately described the Singapore losses as "the troops and the equipment of a whole army." The Japanese claim of 73,000 prisoners is not disputed, and it would not be unreasonable to put at 27,000 the casualties of all kinds incurred in the scrambling combats all down along the Malay peninsula—i.e., a total of 100,000. By units the forces lost consisted of 1 Australian, 1 British, 2 Indian divisions, 2 Malay brigades, and the fortress troops—say, the numerical equivalent of 6-7 divisions. How many Japanese divisions were attacking we do not know.

It now seems that the chance of a full-sized victory in Africa was lost.

To quote Mr. Churchill:—"From the moment that Japan attacked we set in motion naval forces, aircraft, troops and equipment on a scale limited only to the scale of available shipping." Elsewhere we are told that the shipping was enough to constitute nine convoys. It is difficult to escape the impression that something very like panic became operative at the prospect of losing Singapore.

It now seems fairly reasonable to suppose that Tripoli was within General Auchinleck's grasp—had he at his disposal the "over 40,000 men, together with large quantities of anti-aircraft and anti-tank artillery, all of which were withdrawn from other areas where they were sorely needed or even actively engaged." The inference in the last phrase is obvious. We know already that it required very little extra in Libya at one time to tip down the balance abruptly—even as things actually went. We also know that General Auchinleck had been maturing his plans for five months. Why stultify them at the last moment? Auchinleck's battle, it is now clear, never had a fair trial: "early in December most of the principal orders had been given." If ever a High Command fell between two stools, this was an instance of such.

MALTA DEFENCES

Alluding to the rushing-out to Singapore of war material, Mr. Churchill said specifically: "This was specially true with regard to modern aircraft." One is inclined to query whether we are not now witnessing the effects of this in Malta, which is now being raided as never before. Not only so, but comparatively few of the assailants are now being shot down. Is it that there are now fewer defending fighters in Malta, or that the Axis bombers have much-reinforced fighter cover, or both? It is true that some of the aircraft that was too late for Singapore has done its best to make amends at Rangoon. That, however, will be small consolation should Malta succumb to the Luftwaffe—which is by no means an impossibility.

What, then, are we to conclude about this latest example of major British strategy? At the end of November a sound plan of a far-reaching character had been got ready—and the means of execution had been placed in position. Then comes a clamourous alarm from the other side of the world, and the labour of months is brought to nullity. This would have been, perhaps, pardonable had a real prospect of holding Singapore existed; but it is difficult to see how this could have reasonably been expected by anybody with full knowledge of all the facts.

It is questionable whether the enormity of the fault will be generally recognised. It is, for example, very surprising to find such an opinion reputably held as that the Axis Powers hold the advantage of "interior lines." Surely, Russia and India divide the European Axis forces from Japan in one direction, as do Canada and the United States on the other. It is not the possession of interior lines, but the vigorous and skilful manipulation of exterior ones, that renders the Axis at the present moment so formidable to their enemies.

HIGH-PRICED DAIRY SHORTHORNS

The spring show and sale of pedigree shorthorn and dairy bulls and heifers of the Royal Agricultural Society concluded yesterday at Messrs. Allams' Salerooms, Belfast. The top price of the sale was 135 guineas, paid by Mr. W. L. Chambers, Downpatrick, to Mr. James Short, Beragh, Co. Tyrone, for his double dairy bull, Woodpark Show Plate 4th. Mr. Short's Woodpark Show Plate 5th was sold to Mr. R. Jardine, Garvaghy, Banbridge, for 120 guineas. The champion shorthorn bull, Carnkern Marksman, exhibited by Mr. James Gillan, Armoy, Co. Antrim, was withdrawn at a hundred guineas, and subsequently sold for 120 guineas to Mr. E. M. Alexander for export to the Argentine. The reserved champion, Anticur Ensign, bred and exhibited by Mr. John Wallace, Anticur, Dunloy, was sold to Robert Stewart, Stewartstown, for 100 guineas.

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Shorthorn Bulls—J. Gillan's Carnkern Marksman (show champion) to E. M. Alexander, Buenos Aires, 120; J. Wallace's Anticur Ensign (reserve champion) to R. Stewart, Stewartstown, 100.

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> "Do mairb sé piast i mBinn Éadair
> A corp níor féadad i gcat;
> Agus ollpiast Loca Cuilinn
> do mairb mac Cumaill na gclear."

Dat Seabac yeh!

Slánabaile: Nee'l shay sunn granoor.
Mise: Aontuigim. Ní ceart dom beit ag Sugrue le ainmneaca daoine eile.

HASH-TRIÚCÁIN.

> Mairg féagar ar Inis Ceitleann
> Na gcuan n-éadroct, na n-eas mbinn,
> Guair dúinn 'rnac féidir a fágbáil,
> Féagain an muir fadbáin finn.

> Morgue-eggs is her Inniskillen,
> Naw, go in head-rucked, Nan Asmin,
> Ghost doings, knock, fade her a five-oil,
> Fagan, an' wear Yvonne in!

(Ná bí ró-cruaid orm, féac gur mairb Landru feactar dan, tug Diarmuid Mac Murcada na Gaill go hÉirinn agus d'árduig an Rialtas praghas na dige. Má imtigim-se corr-coircéim ar an trúige, tuig gur daonnacht cúis mo coir.)

> A bean lán de fuaim
> Coinnig uaim do lám,
> Ní fear gníomha finn
> Sé taoi tinn dar ngrád.

> A van, landaus, to him,
> Can you woo him to love?
> Knee for knee washing,
> Get her chin. (There now!)

(Cuimnig go mbíceann gac aicíd a bíc féin go dtí a críoc agus gur giorra faoiseam nuair is géire crád agus anró na h-aicíde.)

> Féac ar liat dem' folt,
> Féac mo corp gan lúit,
> Féac ar craoc dem' fuil,
> Créad re a bfuil do cnuc?

> Fake early the malt,
> Fetch my carp-gun, Lew,
> Fake or wreck them, Will!
> Cried Ria: "Well they knew!"

(Ono méanal a gúd aigsinmean folo de pear, có, ono goc aibé bic ic, páig pic on mi?)

AN AICÍD AG LAGAD.

> Bran agus Sgeolang go réim
> A cóin féin a láim an ríog,
> Ba h-ionmain le Fionn na coin,
> Fa mait a ngoil is a ngníom.

> Brannigan's calling! Go! Shave!
> A keen pain alive, Henry,
> B.A. Unwin, L.A. Finnegan,
> Faugh! Wine-gill is enough!

Fió! Tá mo sláinte níos fearr anois agam, tá clagarnac mo croide níos cotruime, níl an croiceann com teann ar mo cloigeann agus bí sé. Dá mbéad deoc láidir fuirsí agam, creidim go mbéinn i gceart ar fad. Cá bfuil an cara nár tréig go fóill mé, Seán Ó Séimirin? Nó a colceatáir, Seán uasal de Paor?

AGUS FÉAC AR SEO!

Or nuo é go bfuil fuadar cun filíocta orainn an lá breág gréine seo, féac an rann so ar bán a deirtear gur sgríob Colmcille agus é ag imteact i ndeoraíoct ó Éirinn go h-oileán Í atá láim le mór-tír na hAlban:

> "Do-cím Í!
> Beannact ar gac rúin do-cí;
> An té do-ní lear a céile
> Is é a lear féin do-ní."

Níl agam le rád act an méid seo. Cuir "Í" beag i n-ionad "Í" agus seobaid tú rann beag ruimúil atá ion-páirte agat i nÓn cailín, bíod sí pórta agat nó díomaoin.

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JAMES ADAM & SONS have been instructed to offer the Leasehold Interest in the above for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION on MONDAY, 9th MARCH, at their ESTATE SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, at the hour of One sharp.

Tenure: Held for a term of 97 years to run, subject to £54 per annum.

Accommodation: Lounge hall, two reception rooms, six bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., etc. Fruit and vegetable gardens, tennis court. Vartry water and main drainage. Another part of the house, containing one reception, two bedrooms, bathroom and garage, is sublet at £6 per month.

For Orders to View and Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. EDMUNDSON & PARKES, Solicitors, 20 Fleet Street, or to

JAMES ADAM & SONS,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
17 MERRION ROW & 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 18th MARCH,
AT 2 BURGH QUAY, AT 1 P.M.

27 UPPER LEESON STREET.

AT LOW RESERVE TO ENSURE SALE.

LARGE HOUSE, suitable for conversion to flats, private or professional residence, containing 11 rooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 w.c.'s; garage space, gardens, etc. E.L. and Gas. House is in very good condition. Lease 52 years from 25th March, 1928. Gr. Rent £20.

D. C. MAHER, Solicitor, 50 Westland Row.

68 CHAWORTH PLACE, SOUTH CIRCULAR RD.

(OPPOSITE GRIFFITH BARRACKS).

Two-storey, red-brick, non-basement House, conveniently situated, newly decorated, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, bathroom, w.c. Gardens front and rear. Garage at rear. Coal-house, etc. Gr. Rent £6 5s. 0d. P.L.V. £26. Long Lease.

McGAHON & WOODS, Solicitors, 18 Francis Street, Dundalk.

"COLMOR," 162 GREENHILLS ROAD

(BEFORE WALKINSTOWN CROSS).

On main Tallaght 'bus route, just up from Half-way House.

Semi-detached House, with bay windows to roof, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), w. h. b., sep. w.c., kitchen. E.L. Good garden; garage. G.R. £7 10s. 0d. Lease 99 years. P.L.V. £19. Rem. of Rates.

ADHOUSE,

AUCTIONEERS (M.I.A.A.), 'Phone 21988,
2 BURGH QUAY.

CO. MEATH.
FARMS FOR SALE (MORAN ESTATE).

WE are instructed by the Executors of the late Richard Moran to

SELL BY AUCTION,
ON TUESDAY, 10th MARCH (IN FOUR LOTS),
AT CITY ARMS HOTEL, PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN
(NOTE ADDRESS OF SALE).
AT 2.30 O'CLOCK SHARP.

LOT 1—DUNSHAUGHLIN—34 acres statute. Annuity £56. Tithe Rent £1 12s. 6d. P.L.V. £37 10s. 0d. Land. A Rental of £32 0s. 0d. issues from 2 Houses in the village.
LOT 2—CAULSTOWN, near Dunboyne—63 acres statute. Annuity £8 8s 0d. P.L.V. £43 10s. 0d. About 15 acres Tillage let until 1st Sept., 1943.
LOT 3—PIERSTOWN, 12 miles from Dublin—99 acres statute. Annuity £27 3s. 6d. P.L.V. £105. Meath railway runs through farm.
LOT 4—COOKSTOWN, situated 1 mile north of Ashbourne at Rath Cross—46 acres statute. Annuity £12 3s. 10d. P.L.V.: £31 Lands, £2 10s. 0d. Buildings. Land let for Tillage to 1st December, 1943.
All these lands are of superior quality and suitable for Grazing and Tillage.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from
J. E. McDERMOTT, Esq., Solicitor, 21 Nassau Street, Dublin; or

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD., M.I.A.A.,

5 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN, and
12 OLD CABRA ROAD, DUBLIN.

AUCTION WEDNESDAY, 18th MARCH, at 2.30 p.m.
3 ARDEEVIN TERRACE, DALKEY.

A modern double-fronted House, in excellent repair, containing 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, all modern conveniences; situated in an ideal position, overlooking Dublin Bay and very convenient to rail and road services. P.L.V. £36. Ground Rent £10.
Further particulars from MICHAEL J. BOWERS, Esq., Solicitor, 24 Dame Street, or AUCTIONEERS.

11 ANNAVILLA, RANELAGH.

A three-storey, well-built house, containing 8 rooms, kitchen, pantries, scullery, etc. There is a good garden at the rear.
Ground Rent £4 4s. 0d. Lease 800 years. For further particulars apply
FINTAN G. BURKE, Esq., Solicitor, 32 Molesworth Street.

BOWLES & CO., M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneers, Surveyors and Valuers,
24 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, DUBLIN. 'Phone 63792.

HAMILTON AND HAMILTON

On THURSDAY NEXT, 5th MARCH, at 2.30 p.m.
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF),
IN OUR SALEROOMS, 17 DAWSON STREET,

43 AILESBURY ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE,

ON THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A. LEO CLARKSON, Esq.
ONLY RECENTLY MODERNISED.

Soundly constructed, semi-detached residence, with side entrance.
There is a large garden and tennis court. Greenhouse, garage, toolshed and outside w.c.
The garden basement has been completely cut off from the upper portion—the house now being worked as easily as a non-basement house.
The upper portion contains hall, cloakroom (hand basin), 2 large reception rooms, kitchen, pantry and entrance to garden, 5 good bedrooms (1 with hand basin), bathroom, separate w.c.
Electric light, power, and gas. New gas geysers recently installed to serve both kitchen and bathroom.
Pembroke Lease for 150 years from 25th March, 1877. Ground Rent £7 p.a. P.L.V. £63.
OPEN TO-DAY, 2—5 P.M.
Solicitors: Messrs. CROWLEY BOLGER & CUSACK, 3 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin.

23 SHANID ROAD, KENILWORTH PARK
(OFF HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD).

Compact, modern, semi-detached residence, with good garden, space for garage. Conveniently situated to shops and transport.
Hall, 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, separate lavatory, kitchen, coalhouse, etc. E.l. and gas.
Held on Lease for 800 years from 5th October, 1932, subject to £8 p.a. P.L.V. £14 10s. 0d.
Solicitors: Messrs. LITTLE, O hUADHAIGH & PROUD, 12 Dawson Street, Dublin.

IN ONE LOT.

"BLENHEIM," LOWER MOUNTTOWN ROAD, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Splendid, non-basement, family residence, or most adaptable for two self-contained flats.
ACCOMMODATION—Hall, 3 large rooms, 2 small rooms, large kitchen, electric light and gas, 4 bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, lavatory, Ascot geyser. Side entrance to yard, with unusually large range of out-offices.
ALSO A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £65 P.A.,
Payable out of the next door Shop Premises, which are let on a long repairing lease, plus rates. This income more than covers the outgoings on the dwellinghouse.
The entire is held for ever, subject to £25 p.a. P.L.V. £35.
Solicitors: Messrs. RYAN & O'BRIEN, 35 St. Stephen's Green, N.

ON THURSDAY, 19th MARCH,
TOWER HILL LODGE, DALKEY, CO. DUBLIN.

Situated just beyond the Bullock Harbour, in choice position. Built well back from the road, with secluded back garden running down to the sea. Own private bathing. The residence is non-basement and, although affording large accommodation, is compact and easily run.
Hall with conservatory off, 2 separate lavatories, cloakroom, diningroom with conservatory off, drawingroom and study, tiled kitchen, scullery, pantry, coalhouse, service pantry, 2 large and 2 small bedrooms, 1 dressingroom, bathroom and lavatory. Also wing with 4 rooms most suitable for nursery and 2 maids' rooms.
Ground floor and conservatories have central heating.
Lease for 99 years from 25th March, 1903, subject to £35 p.a. P.L.V. £40.
Solicitors: Messrs. WHITE & MEARES, 41 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

83 TRITONVILLE ROAD, SANDYMOUNT.

Conveniently situated, pre-war, red-brick residence. A large sum of money has recently been spent on the property.
Hall, 2 reception, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, lavatory, kitchen. Electric light and gas. Scullery, pantry, coalhouse, etc. Side entrance, with good back garden, bicycle shed.
Agreement for Pembroke Reversionary Lease for 99 years from 25th March, 1942, subject to £11 p.a. until 29th Sept., 1946, and thereafter £12 p.a. P.L.V. £25.
Solicitors: Messrs. JOHN L. SCALLAN & CO., 25 Suffolk Street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE ADELPHI BILLIARDS SALOON, SOUTH ANNE STREET, DUBLIN.

WILL BE OFFERED IN THE FIRST INSTANCE AS A GOING CONCERN, TO INCLUDE EQUIPMENT AND GOODWILL; AND, IF UNSOLD, THE LEASEHOLD INTEREST WILL BE OFFERED IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS.
For Auction date and full details see future advertisements.

HAMILTON AND HAMILTON

ESTATE AGENTS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
17 DAWSON STREET.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS"

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'c.,

CURIOS FROM "FAR EAST,"
MALAYAN, JAVANESE ART, AT OUR GALLERIES,

FOR J. HAMILTON EVANS, Esq., "Ballinlough House," Roscrea, and others. AN IMPORTANT AND RARE COLLECTION OF CURIOS FROM MALAYA, JAVA, BORNEO, SIAM (THAILAND), etc., comprising Brassware, Bronzes, Cloisonne, Ivories, Pottery, Silk Hangings, Silver, etc. Also Choice Items of Antique Furniture (Chippendale, Sheraton, Marqueterie, etc.), English and Continental China Pottery, Waterford Glass, Silver and Plated Ware, Statuary, Oil Paintings, etc. Full details in Catalogue (2/2 post free), from Auctioneers.
On View To-day (Saturday) and Monday next, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale by Catalogue (price 2/-) or Ticket, 1/-. Terms: Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

N.B.—WE SHALL BE GLAD TO HEAR FROM PARTIES DESIRING TO DISPOSE OF OBJETS D'ART, OLD SILVER PLATE, ORIENTAL ART, OIL PAINTINGS, AND ANTIQUE FURNITURE, ETC., FOR INCLUSION IN OUR NEXT ART SALE AT OUR GALLERIES.

FRIDAY NEXT, 6th MARCH, at 12 o'c.,
55 LANSDOWNE ROAD,
RESIDUE ANTIQUE FURNITURE, ETC.

Mahogany Louis-style China Cabinet, Inlaid Rosewood Settee and Occasional Chairs, Chesterfield, Divan and Easy Chairs, Mahogany Case Console Gramaphone and Records, Venetian Glass Frame Oval Mirror, Gilt Frame ditto, Ebonised Overmantels, Ornamental China, Oil Paintings, Mahogany Screw Dining Table, do. Chairs, Pair Carved Oak Cabinets, Mahogany Bookcases and Cabinets, quantity of Books, Mahogany Pedestal Desk, Folding Card Tables, "Ayres" ¾-size Billiard Table and Accessories, Axminster Carpets and Rugs, Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Brass and Oak Beds and Bedding, Child's Cot, Table Glass and China, Plated Ware, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Mangle, Bench, Vice and Tools, Garden Tea Tent, etc.
On View morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. Terms: Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

WEDNESDAY, 18th MARCH, and following day, 12 o'c.,
66 MERRION RD. (OPPOSITE R.D.S.),
ANTIQUE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
(Full details later advertisements.)

BATTERSBY & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,
39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN.
ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

"THE ROOKERY," NEWCASTLE, CO. WICKLOW,
RESIDENTIAL FARM OF 221 ACRES. Excellent Out-offices.
(REGISTERED DAIRY FARM).

WE have received instructions from Mr. M. J. Carey to Sell the above property by PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Salesroom, 20 LINCOLN PLACE, on WEDNESDAY, 11th MARCH, 2.30 p.m.
The Residence is compact, and is equipped throughout with modern conveniences, including elec. light, bathroom, h. and c., etc.
An outstanding feature of the holding is the magnificent out-buildings, which comprise, briefly: hay barns, several ranges of slated buildings, fitted with elec. light. The cow-house is modern and fitted with a 3-unit Gascoigne milking plant. Extensive equipment includes 50 volt G.E.C. electric plant, and Lister 6 h.p. diesel engine, etc. All cattle sheds are drained to central storage tank.
The land, which has been well husbandised, is of outstanding quality, and comprises mainly deep rich loam, specially suitable for wheat growing, dairying, or fattening; well watered, sheltered and fenced.
This is one of the best mixed farms which has come under our notice for a considerable time, and an inspection is strongly recommended. (Situate ¼ mile Newcastle.)
The Property will be sold with benefit of wheat, barley, potato and other tillage crops already sown.
AREA: 221 Acres (S.M.). I.L.C. Annuity (Ashbourne Act), £50 1s. 0d.
Orders to View from AUGUSTUS CULLEN, Esq., Solicitor, Wicklow; or from the AUCTIONEERS.

"BALLYMERRIGAN," RATHNEW, CO. WICKLOW
FARM OF 115 ACRES. HOUSE AND OUT-OFFICES.
(REGISTERED DAIRY FARM).

WE are instructed by the Owner, Mr Wm Kelly, to Sell the above Holding by PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Salesroom, on WEDNESDAY, 11th MARCH, 2.30 p.m.
This is an excellent mixed Farm, with comfortable two-storey, eight-apartment Residence. The land, which comprises about 115 Acres (S.M.) of good tillage and grazing land, is particularly suitable for wheat-growing or dairying; well watered and fenced. The well-cared-for out-offices include 2 hay barns, cow-shed with 15 ties, and other suitable houses.
The farm is well known, and is very conveniently situate on main Dublin-Wexford 'bus route, 1½ miles Rathnew.
I.L.C. Annuity, £34 17s. 6d. Current rates, approximately, £50.
Orders to View from AUGUSTUS CULLEN, Esq., Solicitor, Wicklow; or from the AUCTIONEERS:—

GARVEY & GOOD, F.S.I., M.I.A.A.,

Chartered Surveyors, Valuers and Auctioneers, 20 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

NEXT WEDNESDAY, at 3 LINCOLN PLACE, at 2 p.m.,
DAIRY AND TILLAGE FARM, 48a. 2r. 10p., S.M.,
CASTLEWARDEN, BLACKCHURCH, CO. DUBLIN.
Solicitor—TERENCE DE VERE WHITE, Esq., 21 Nassau street, Dublin.

10 MERTON AVENUE (SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD).
5 Apartments, Kitchenette, Bath, Gardens.
Solicitors—Messrs. FRED. SUTTON & CO., 52 Dame street, Dublin.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A., M.I.A.A.,

Auctioneer and Valuer, 3 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

TOMBREANE, CARNEW, CO. WICKLOW.

IMPORTANT SALE OF RESIDENTIAL HOLDING, containing 509 Acres, S.M. Annuity £94 2s. 2d. P.L.V. £327 2s. 0d., with beautifully-situated Residence, in good repair; 3 reception rooms, breakfast room, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, etc. Ample water supply by gravitation. Very good stone-built, slated roofed out-offices. A sound tillage and grazing farm. Ideally situated and well timbered, in the midst of a prosperous agricultural district; 1½ miles from Carnew, where monthly fairs and weekly markets are held; 4 miles from Shillelagh Railway Station. Lands are all being farmed to date, with the usual rotation of tillage in preparation for crops.
DATE OF SALE:—THURSDAY, 12th MARCH, 1942, at Three o'clock (S.T.), by directions of James Walsh, Esq.
E. W. WARREN, Solicitor, Gorey.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneers,
GOREY, CO. WEXFORD.

FARMS FOR SALE, CO. DUBLIN.

Containing 235 Acres, free of rent, situated 16 miles from Dublin. P.L.V., £204. With good Out-offices thereon.
Also
50 Acres, free of rent. P.L.V., £39 5/-. Situated two miles from Balbriggan.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, Valuers and Live Stock Salesmen,
31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

AUCTION TUESDAY, 24th MARCH,
In 4 GRAFTON STREET, at 2.30.

"CARNACALLY HOUSE,"
KILMAINHAMWOOD, CO. MEATH.
Most convenient Residential Farm, 130 Statute Acres Prime Lands. Annuity, £23 8/-.
AUCTIONEERS,
CORRIGAN & CO.,
4 GRAFTON STREET.

NEWBRIDGE, CO. KILDARE.
BUSINESS PREMISES FOR SALE.

MESSRS. ROBT. J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed by the Executors (Estate of Miss Jane Dempster, Decd.) to Sell by Public Auction, on the Premises, on THURSDAY, 12th March, 1942, at One o'clock, their Interest in the old-established business house known as Wafers, wherein for many years, until she retired owing to ill-health, the late Miss Dempster carried on a very profitable high-class General, Fancy Goods and Confectionery trade.
Situated in the best business position in Main street, the premises comprise large double-fronted shop, fitted with counters, shelving, etc.; good kitchen, with close range; diningroom, drawingroom, 4 bedrooms, bathroom and w.c.; electric light; coal and turf houses, and tastefully laid out flower and vegetable garden at rear. The premises are held under lease, dated 23rd October, 1908, for a period of thirty-five years, at the extremely low rent of £32 0s. 0d. per annum, payable quarterly. Poor Law Valuation, £17 0s. 0d.
A purchaser of the property will be entitled to apply for a renewal lease when the present one expires.
The entire premises are in excellent repair, and can easily be adapted to any class of business with little outlay.
For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply
Messrs. BROWN & McCANN, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Naas, or the Auctioneers:

MESSRS. ROBT. J. GOFF & CO., LTD., M.I.A.A.,
NEWBRIDGE, CO. KILDARE.

STORE CATTLE SALE, WEDNESDAY NEXT,
4th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
40 Ewes with Lambs at foot will be Sold after Store Cattle.

CRAIGIE BROS.,
37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m.,
LAKEFIELD, STRAND ROAD, MERRION.

Semi-detached, non-basement House, with about half an acre of ground, including vegetable garden, with fruit trees, and tennis court, greenhouse and hen houses. Two garages. All in first-class, up-to-date repair. Ideal situation; open sea view; 3 minutes' walk to tram, train and 'bus.
Accommodation—Lounge hall with large glass porch, three reception rooms, five bedrooms (one having its own bathroom), a second bathroom, maid's room, kitchen with Ideal boiler. An electric cooker, belonging to the E.S.B., can be left. Gas and electric light.
Lease 65 years. Subject to the low ground rent of £14 per annum. Clear Possession.
A. COX & CO., Solicitors, Stephen's Green.

6 WILFRED ROAD, RATHGAR.

Well-situated, non-basement, brick-built House, with bay window. Drawingroom, diningroom, three bedrooms, bathroom, sep. w.c., tiled kitchen, pantry, maid's room. Garden at rear.
Held for 100 years, subject, with the adjoining house, to £10 10s. 0d. per annum, and sold subject to one moiety thereof of £5 5s. 0d. P.L.V. £22. Possession to purchaser.
A. & L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame Street.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION AT AN EARLY DATE,

DELVILLE, GLASNEVIN.

Historic Residence, held for ever free of rent, standing detached in beautifully timbered grounds and occupying a high situation. Has gate lodge, garages, etc. The house has fine antique mantelpieces in the principal rooms, where the elaborate, but artistic, treatment of the ceilings and walls is an important feature. There are four large reception rooms, eight or nine bedrooms, two bathrooms, pantries and servants' accommodation. Electric light is laid on.
PETER M. SEALES & SON, Solicitors, 20 Wicklow Street.

FURNITURE SALES.
MONDAY NEXT, 2nd MARCH,
"NEWBROOK HOUSE," WHITECHURCH, RATHFARNHAM,
RESIDUE FURNITURE.
ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE FROM 10 O'CLOCK.
SALE COMMENCES 12 O'CLOCK. DELIVERY AFTER SALE.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 11th MARCH,
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
6 WILFRED ROAD, RATHGAR.

Including Walnut Sideboard, Diningroom Table, Set of Dining and other Chairs, Sectional Bookcase and Books, Gilt and other Mirrors, Sewing Machine, Lounge Chairs, Louis China Cabinet, Chesterfield Settee and Chairs, Drawingroom and other Tables, Fire Sets, Floor Lamps, Electric Bowls, Ornamental Items and Pictures, Plated Ware, Carpets and Rugs, etc.; Radio, etc.; Wardrobes, some with mirror doors; Toilet Tables, Commode Chair and usual Bedroom Furniture, including Bedsteads and Bedding; Hall Clock, Hall Stand, Barometer, Kitchen Furniture, Tools, etc.
On View day preceding from 10 to 5 p.m.

FINE ART SALE, THURSDAY and FRIDAY NEXT,
AT ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

Antique Furniture, Bechstein Pianoforte, Engravings of Topographical interest by Malton and Brocas; Sporting and Miscellaneous Prints in Colours, including Hincks Linen Industry Oil Paintings, Silver, Porcelain and Glassware, Jewellery, etc. The property of the late Lady Greer, by order of the Executor, and for other accounts.
Specimens of Chippendale, Sheraton, Nelson and other Furniture, and very interesting and collectable items, as already fully advertised.
On View Wednesday Next from 10 to 5.
Owing to limited space 1/- will be charged for admission.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

Auctioneers 110 GRAFTON STREET.

THOS. DOCKRELL

SONS & CO., LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,

PROPERTY AUCTION,
THURSDAY NEXT, 5th INST.,
At 1.15 p.m., at our Property Salerooms, Sth. Great George's St.

49 KINCORA ROAD, CLONTARF.

Handsomely designed, detached, double-fronted non-basement house, convenient to 'bus route and all services.
Accommodation—2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bath, lavatory, wash basin, linen press, tiled kitchen, suitable as breakfast room; boiler grate in diningroom, electric light and gas; garden and garage. The house is in very good condition, and is worth inspection.
Held for 150 years, subject to £17 12s. 0d. per annum, but indemnified against £10 thereof by No. 47. Remission of rates 10-20ths. P.L. Valuation £27.
Seen daily between 3 and 5.30 p.m. on Order to View.
CHARLES MAGWOOD, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 8 Anglesea Street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY, 11th MARCH, at 12 Noon, at
GLANMIRE, NOVARA AVENUE, BRAY,
HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, COLOURED ENGRAVINGS BY BARTOLOZZI, SPORTING PRINTS BY ALKEN, WATER-COLOURS BY ALEX. WILLIAMS, R.H.A., ETC.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL THE ENTIRE FURNITURE, including:—Antique Georgian Carved Mahogany Break-front Sideboard, do. Mahog. Oval Falling-leaf Table, Mahog. Dwarf 2-door Press, Mahog. China Cabinet, Antique Mahog. Chamber Table, Mahog. Yacht Table, Mahog. Book and Occasional Tables, 6 Mahog.-frame Dining Chairs, Mahog. Elbow Chair, Easy Chairs, Oak Roll-top Desk, Mahog. Circular Tripod Table, Open Bookshelves, Antique Oak Fender Seat, Oriental China, Table Glass, Cutlery, Cloisonne and other Vases, Dinner Service, Brass and Copper Ware, Copper and Brass Fire Furnishings, Mantel Clocks, Electric Fires, Lacquered Reading Lamps, Electric Kettle and Heater, Mahog. Double and Single Beds, Hair Mattresses, Gent.'s Antique Mahog. Wardrobe, Mahog. and Oak Wardrobes, 2 Mahog. Chests of Drawers, do. Dressing Tables, Oak Bedroom Suite, Antique Mahog. Toilet Glass, Turkey-pattern Axminster Stair Carpeting, Axminster and Indian Carpets, Corridor Carpets and Rugs, Lace and other Curtains, Mahog. Hall Table, Pair of Mahog. Hall Chairs, Barometer, Maid's Room Furniture, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Household Steps, Lawn Mower, etc.
On View Tuesday, 10th inst., from 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Admission to View and Sale by Ticket, sixpence each.

THOS. DOCKRELL

SONS & CO., LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN
TELEPHONE 71351 (10 LINES) AND PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
ALLENSTOWN HOUSE AND LANDS.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, by instructions of the Irish Land Commission, under their Conditions of Sale, on SATURDAY, the 21st day of MARCH, 1942, by Messrs. JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS, Auctioneers, Kells, at their Office, HEADFORT PLACE, KELLS, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

TENURE AND DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

ALL THAT AND THOSE, part of the Lands of Allenstown Demesne, containing 13 acres and 15 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, with the Dwellinghouse and Out-offices thereon, known as Allenstown House, situate in the Barony of Navan Lower and County of Meath, held in Fee-Simple.

The Land Commission will make an Advance of £206 0s. 0d. for the purchase of the fee-simple of the property, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Purchase Acts, repayable by an Annuity of £9 15s. 8d., as by the Land Act, 1923, is provided. Pursuant to the provisions of the Land Acts, the amount payable by the Purchaser in respect of the said Annuity shall be £4 17s. 10d. in each year, the balance of the purchase money—namely, the price bid at the auction—is to be paid in cash.

The property will be sold subject to said Advance and Annuity.

Allenstown House is situated five miles south-east of Kells, seven miles from Navan, one mile from Ballybeg Railway Station, and some thirty-five miles from Dublin. The Meath Hounds hunt in the district.

It is a large, three-storey mansion, of the semi-basement type, and contains diningroom, drawingroom, library, study, thirteen bedrooms, two dressing-rooms, bathroom, two lavatories, two servants' rooms and wash room, kitchen, four pantries, coal cellar, coke store, log store, furnace room, store and cellar. The house is wired for electric light, but there is no lighting plant.

The Out-offices comprise a small gate-lodge and two ranges of lofted buildings, with slated roofs. One range contains harness room, stables for five horses, and poultry house; while the other contains two garages and four loose boxes. There is also a row of lean-to sheds.

Water is supplied by large catchment tank on roof and by a petrol engine pumping from a well on the lands.

The accommodation land comprises some four acres arable, six acres partly wooded, and three acres ornamental and waste.

The Poor Law Valuation of the Buildings is £32 0s. 0d., and of the Lands £16 10s. 0d.

Purchaser to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to:—
THE AUCTIONEERS,
or to:—
W. J. O'REILLY,
Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission,
21 Upper Merrion Street,
DUBLIN.
N.2051. W.H.Co.

PAROCHIAL HOUSE, CARRICK-ON-SUIR.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,
19th and 20th MARCH, 1942,
at 12 Noon each day.

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